

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Sunday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and warmer.

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VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1924

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—The Uninvited Guest.
Dorchester—A Woman of Paris.
Rayhouse—The Indian Rubber Girl.
Columbia—Little Johnny Jones.
Royal—The Enchanted Cottage.
Pantages—The World and His Wife.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

SUIT OF 80,000 BELGIANS AGAINST GERMANY FAILS TO BRING THEM DAMAGES

Mixed Arbitration Tribunal At Geneva Rules Treaty of Versailles Makes It Impossible To Give Awards; Belgians Were Deported During Great War And Made To Labor

Geneva, Switzerland, May 31.—The monster collective damage suit brought against the German Government by 80,000 Belgians, who were deported for forced labor into Germany during the Great War, which has been on trial here for the past three months before the Mixed German Arbitration Tribunal, has been lost by the plaintiffs.

The tribunal, presided over by Paul Morand, the famous Swiss jurist, ruled that while in principle it was competent to act in matters regarding contracts, the Treaty of Versailles had in this particular instance deprived it of jurisdiction.

JAPANESE ENDED LIFE AS PROTEST

Man Committed Suicide Because U.S. is About to Bar Japanese

Incident in Tokio Has Created a Sensation in the Oriental Country

Tokio, May 31.—An unidentified Japanese committed suicide in the street near the ruins of the United States Embassy, destroyed in the earthquake and fire of last September, as a protest against the United States immigration law, which bars Japanese from the United States.

The Japanese, about forty years old and dressed in the formal habiliments of a Japanese gentleman, committed harikari with a short sword in the fashion prescribed by ancient custom.

Two letters were found on the body, one addressed to the people of the United States and one to the Japanese people. It is understood the one addressed to the United States condemned exclusion in exceedingly bitter terms. That addressed to the Japanese, it is said, urged the nation to rise to avenge the insult embodied in the action of the United States.

The incident has created a sensation in Tokio despite the efforts of the police to suppress the details.

APPEALS TO PUBLIC TO HELP WELCOME

Mayor Asks Citizens to Subscribe to Fleet Reception Fund

Mayor Hayward has issued the following appeal to the citizens to support the entertainment of the British Special Service Squadron:

"At a public meeting held in the City Hall on Wednesday evening, it was requested to make an appeal through the press to the general public, asking for funds to assist in entertaining the personnel of the British Special Service Squadron on the occasion of their visit to the city in June.

"It is estimated that to carry out any programme of entertainment at all fitting to this important event and to provide something which will be a pleasant recollection to the men of the fleet, some \$15,000 is required, and at the present time the amount at the disposal of the committee is only \$4,000.

"I hope that our citizens will make a generous response to this appeal as it is only on very rare occasions that we are privileged to receive a visit from such a powerful squadron of the British Navy as the present one. It might be mentioned that Victoria is the only port in Canada which is being visited by the whole of the squadron.

"Subscriptions can be handed in to the office of The Daily Colonist or Daily Times, or for greater convenience, it is also hoped that lists will be opened in the various banks and hotels of the city."

Terrorized Crowds Flee From Volcano

Manila, May 31.—The Volcano Babuyan Claro, on Babuyan Island, is in eruption and the inhabitants are terrorized and fleeing according to word brought here to-day by the coastguard vessel Bustamante.

The volcano is throwing out smoke and lava, and the population is seeking safety at the water's edge.

BIG STORES IN JAPAN REDUCE QUANTITY OF U.S. GOODS SOLD

Tokio, May 31.—The manager of the Mitsukoshi department stores, a concern which operates a string of the largest foreign goods stores in Tokio and Osaka, said to-day the stores expected to be compelled to reduce their stocks of American goods as a result of the recent move to limit the buying of commodities from that country.

Women's wear and toilet articles would be affected particularly, he said.

INTERIOR TOUR SATISFIES PREMIER GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE INCREASED MAJORITY

Vancouver, May 31.—Premier Oliver reached the Coast to-day, after two weeks of strenuous campaigning throughout the interior of the Province, confident, not only that his Government will be returned at the General Election, but that its strength in the Legislature will be increased.

"This prospects for the Government in the interior are better even than I had hoped," the Premier declared on his arrival here. "I can see no possibility of the Liberal Party losing any of its present seats and it is certain to capture some of the present Conservative ridings. For instance, the Liberals unquestionably have won the South Okanagan seat, held by the Opposition for a long period. Personally, I am well pleased with the situation."

"If for no other reason the Government is assured victory by the complete division of its opponents. The opposition is split between the Conservative and Provincial Parties and, besides, the Conservatives are hopelessly divided among themselves. The Conservative Party, as a whole, does not really expect to secure a majority in the House. On the other hand, I have been unable to find a single constituency where the Provincials have a real chance of success. Their chief effect in the election will be to cut into the Conservative majority."

"Apart from this, however, I find the Government stronger than it was at the last election. The people realize that the Government is offering the only constructive policies that are being advanced in this Province to-day. They realize that they must depend upon the Government to carry out the work it is doing to rid this Province of the present burden of unemployment. They know that Mr. Bowser's promise to carry on this fight is not supported by his record. Thirteen years during which the Conservative Government secured absolutely no transportation relief for this Province."

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IRISH BOUNDARY DISCUSSION TO-DAY

Craig and Cosgrave Guests of British Premier at Chequers Court

London, May 31.—The conference to-day at Chequers Court between Premier MacDonald and the heads of the two Irish Governments, Sir James Craig and William Cosgrave, is understood to be in the nature of an informal talk designed to prepare the way for a friendly solution of the boundary trouble by discussion among the Irishmen without participation by the British Government.

The Government, it is stated, hopes to bring about an all-Irish conference which would reach an agreement through mutual goodwill and which would not be concerned with Article 12 of the Anglo-Irish Treaty, providing for a commission to delimit the boundary. The treaty would meanwhile remain in the background, but it is suggested that a boundary commission might be formed merely to ratify the friendly agreement if it were achieved.

It is understood no experts on either side are attending the Chequers meeting and no official announcement of results are expected.

RESTORING CHILDREN TO PARENTS KEPT POLICE OF OTTAWA BUSY FOR HOURS

Ottawa, May 31.—Pandemonium reigned here last night when 13,000 persons crowded into the Automobile Hall to attend the annual public school concert. Children were separated from their parents and the little actors and actresses, numbering 3,000, and their school chums became lost in the crowd. The concert had to be called off and the police had to establish lost and found stations for the strayed children before the families could be reunited.

Children crying and parents calling out the names of their lost ones drowned all other noises and officials could restore order only by establishing receiving stations and directing the frantic parents by megaphones. It was not until after midnight that all the families were united. No one was injured.

The trouble was caused by a crowd of 3,000 persons without tickets rushing the gates and taking the children's seats. The children taking part in the play, lost their shoes and were and they caused added confusion by trying to find them.

J. G. Scharman as U.S. Ambassador Not Welcome in Japan



Tokio, May 31.—The proposed appointment of Jacob Gould Scharman, now United States Minister to China, to succeed Cyrus E. Woods as United States Ambassador to Japan, is not received enthusiastically in Tokio. It was intimated to-day that the remarks of the Kokumin, an influential newspaper, to the effect that Dr. Scharman's activities in Peking rendered him unacceptable represented the views of a considerable official element.

The Kokumin charged that Dr. Scharman had opposed Japan and showed indifference to her rights. It mentioned specifically the Minister's opposition to Japan's effort to gain a foothold in China for the Mitsui wireless enterprise and charged that his public utterances were anti-Japanese.

U.S. FLIERS HOPE TO BE IN CHINA SOON

World Aviators Plan to Land Near City of Shanghai Monday Evening

Tokio, May 31.—The United States round-the-world fliers, now at Kasumigaura, are planning to hop off to-morrow at 3 a.m. on the next stage of their expedition.

The fliers will head first for Kushimoto, on the southern end of this island, Honshu, and then will go on, if possible, to Kago shima, at the extreme southern end of Japan, the same day.

The fliers hope to make the 500-mile jump across the China Sea Monday, reaching the Asiatic Continent near Shanghai Monday evening.

Shanghai, May 31.—The Portuguese aviators flying from Lisbon to Macao, China, have reached Allahabad, India, according to a Reuters dispatch received here to-day.

REV. DR. MACKINNON NEW MODERATOR

Expectation is Principal of Halifax Presbyterian College Will be Elected

General Assembly Will Hold Annual Sessions in Owen Sound, Ont., Next Week

Owen Sound, Ont., May 31. (Canadian Press)—Rev. Dr. Clarence Mackinnon, Principal of the Presbyterian College, Halifax, will probably be elected Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly when it convenes here on Wednesday night of next week. The choice of the presiding officer is made by open vote and any commissioner is free to place in nomination any other member, but it is widely agreed in the church that Dr. Mackinnon is to be honored this year, and he will not only guide the deliberations of the body through what may prove to be in some respects a stormy Assembly, but he will spend the ensuing twelve months in a tour of visitations of synods, presbyteries and churches throughout Canada.

SERIES OF EARTHQUAKES FELT IN HAWAII WHILE VOLCANO IS IN ERUPTION

Hilo, T.H., May 31.—A new crack has opened in the earth near the volcano Kilauea, which has been in a state of activity for the past few days. The crack lies between the crater and a bank of sulphur ejected from the volcano years ago.

Earthquakes, mostly of light intensity, shook the area around the volcano at intervals of five or ten minutes all yesterday afternoon.

BORN IN CANADA
He was born in Canada, a son of the manse. He was educated partly (Continued on page 2)

YOUTHS CONFESS THEY KILLED FRANKS BOY IN CHICAGO

Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, Now in Custody, Members of Wealthy Families

Kidnapped Lad For Adventure And Because They Wanted Ransom

Chicago, May 31.—Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, announced to-day that Nathan F. Leopold, jr., and Richard Loeb, youthful members of wealthy Chicago families and both post-graduate students at a university, had confessed that they kidnapped and murdered fourteen-year-old Robert Franks, son of Jacob Franks, retired millionaire pawnbroker and manufacturer.

They said they had planned a kidnapping in great detail last November both through a spirit of adventure and because they wanted ransom the ransom they demanded, said Mr. Crowe. The youths said they had determined upon no definite victim and that the kidnapping and murder of young Franks was merely incidental.

The kidnapping was carried out in every detail as planned, including the victim's death, Mr. Crowe said. Leopold and Loeb confessed. He said Leopold admitted having written a letter to the Franks boy's father demanding \$10,000 and that the automobile used to spirit away their victim was a rented machine.

"The finding of the spectacles near the boy's body provided our only tangible clue," said Mr. Crowe. "It was through them that the kidnapping and slaying were traced to Leopold."

The typewriter used has not yet been found and the clothing stripped from young Franks has not been recovered, but Mr. Crowe expected to have them by this afternoon.

Leopold was taken into custody after ownership of a pair of spectacles found near where the body of the Franks boy had been stuffed into a railroad culvert on the far south side was traced to him.

"The little fellow was killed by a blow on the head and then strangled," Mr. Crowe declared. "A chisel wrapped with tape was used to strike the blow."

The chisel was found by reporters about four blocks from the school which the boy attended, stated the attorney. He added that either was to have been used if the boy had not been killed. This, he said, was all explained in the confession.

The killing, the two admitted, was planned with care. (Continued on page 2)

PROGRESS UPON CRYSTAL GARDEN

Conference With Architects on Plans of Amusement Centre

Representative of Structural Steel Firm is Here

To consult with the architects of the Crystal Garden, Basil Gardom, supervising engineer for the Canadian Pacific Railway hotel system, returned to Victoria to-day.

Mr. Gardom has with him on this occasion W. S. Meredith, structural engineer of the well-known steel building construction company of Toronto, Lord & Burnham. Mr. Meredith is paying his second visit here, and the opinion of his company is being taken with regard to the roofing of the new building.

Mr. Gardom anticipates that the architects will have made sufficient progress by the early Fall that specifications will be ready to invite tenders for the Crystal Garden in the early part of November, possibly a month to make their bids, and construction will begin next December.

It is the intention of the company to present to the City Council for approval the detailed plans of the amusement building when ready. Before the by-law was submitted authority was given to approve the provisional plans by the council, but as additional data comes in from various resorts, some modifications in detail are being incorporated, the fullest information to be shown on the final plans which will be filed later.

GIBBONS WINS DECISIVELY IN TEN ROUND CONTEST WITH CARPENTIER TO-DAY

Won Virtually Every Round and Had Frenchman in Distress a Dozen Times; Crowd Fill Michigan City Arena

Ringside, Michigan City, Ind., May 31.—Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul decisively defeated Georges Carpentier of France in a ten-round international contest here this afternoon before a crowd that filled the sky blue arena to capacity.

Gibbons won virtually every round and had his opponent in distress a dozen times. In the ninth round after a lively exchange Carpentier sank to the floor of the ring, indicating to his handlers that he had injured his right ankle.

He struggled to his feet, however, and finished the contest, limping badly.

Gibbons, a master boxer, was Carpentier's superior in every round. Carpentier retreating and Gibbons had had difficulty in catching up with him. Carpentier shook Gibbons up once with his famous right hand punch but the St. Paul boxer's defence was almost perfect and he made Carpentier miss like a novice.

He missed a left swing. Tom backed Carpentier into a corner and punched him on the head and body. Carpentier landed a left to chin, but Tom ducked another right swing. Gibbons landed two lefts to the head. Carpentier missed right to the jaw just before the bell.

ROUND 5
Carpentier began backing away and Gibbons hooked a left to the head. In the clinch they punched each other on the body. Tom was short with a right to the head. Carpentier landed right and got in one in return. Carpentier was boxing cautiously and contented himself with Tom caught him with two rights to the jaw. Carpentier missed two rights to the head. Gibbons missed two lefts to the head. Gibbons whipped two rights to the body and a left to the chin, ducking Carpentier's uppercut.

ROUND 6
Gibbons drove Carpentier into a corner connecting with body punches. Tom landed two lefts to the head and a right to the ribs. They exchanged body punches in a clinch. Carpentier missed a savage right uppercut. The Frenchman missed a left to the chin. Carpentier landed a hard left to the head and got a right uppercut in return. Carpentier drove three uppercuts to the body and the head in a clinch. Carpentier landed a left to the head and a right to the body. Carpentier missed a right uppercut and right cross. Carpentier hooked a left to chin. Carpentier did not hear bell and started after Gibbons.

ROUND 7
They feinted and clinched, exchanging body punches. On the breaking away Tom landed a left hook to the chin. Carpentier struck a left in Tom's face, but missed another at the same spot and so did Gibbons. Carpentier was short with a right to the head. Gibbons crossed with a right to the head. Carpentier missed a right to the head. Gibbons drove Carpentier into a corner with a right to the body. Gibbons landed three rights to the head, making Carpentier groggy. Carpentier was hanging on at bell.

ROUND 8
The sun burst out again. They clinched and Carpentier hung on and punched to the body. Gibbons scored a left to the head. Gibbons drove two lefts to the body and a right to stomach and another in the same place as he backed away. Carpentier hooked a savage right to the head. Carpentier landed right rights to Tom's head. Carpentier hooked a left to the body and a right to the chin. He hung on while Gibbons scored with body punches, Tom drove a right to the head. Carpentier missed a right and left to the head. Gibbons landed four uppercuts in a clinch. Carpentier was wild with a left hook. Carpentier shook him up with two lefts to head and right to body. Carpentier missed a right at the bell.

ROUND 9
Georges sneaked over a little left. Gibbons clinched and no harm was done. In the clinch that followed they exchanged rights to the body. Carpentier put a right to Tom's face and then fell to the floor indicating that he had hurt his ankle. He limped around. Gibbons drove two rights to the body. Carpentier clinched. Tom landed five rights to the body while Carpentier hung on. Tom cracked a left hook to the chin. He drove right to the body. Carpentier was groggy and was hanging on. Carpentier lashed out with two rights which missed and Gibbons laughed. Tom drove right to chin and Carpentier limped to his corner while the crowd boomed.

ROUND 10
They shook hands in the centre of the ring. Carpentier retreated to the ropes. Gibbons went over him trying to land. Gibbons retreated to the body and Carpentier clinched. He was limping as he retreated. Tom was grinning. Tom hooked a left to the chin cutting Carpentier's right eye. Tom scored two rights to the body and snapped a right to the chin. Carpentier sagged into a clinch. When they were split up Carpentier backed around trying to shake him off. Gibbons landed him with rights and lefts to the head. Carpentier missed a right and left to the body. They clinched and Gibbons landed two rights to the head. Carpentier missed a right and left to the head. Carpentier drove three rights at close quarters. Carpentier was bleeding and fast tiring and fell into a clinch. Just before the end of the bout Gibbons was trying to shake him off for a finishing punch.

PRELIMINARY
The first preliminary of four rounds resulted in a draw between John Crook, St. Paul, Chicago, and Mickey Cohen, Kokomo, Ind. They weighed 116 pounds.

ROUND 1
They shook hands. Carpentier ducked a left with long rights and drove to the head. Carpentier walked away and Gibbons landed with light to the head. Carpentier missed a right to the head. Gibbons crossed with a right to the chin. Both were boxing cautiously. Gibbons crossed with a back away. And when he came in Gibbons drove both fists to the body. Tom jabbed a light left to the body. Carpentier missed a right to the head. Gibbons drove a right to the head. Gibbons hooked a hard right to the head. Gibbons hooked left to the chin. Gibbons chased Carpentier around the ring, ducking a savage right with which the Frenchman attempted to land.

ROUND 2
Gibbons feinted for an opening and hooked a left to the body. He failed with left to the chin. Tom landed light left to the head forcing Carpentier to retreat. Carpentier missed left hook to the chin and Gibbons pounded him in the body in the clinch. Gibbons ducked Carpentier's right to head and hooked left to body. Carpentier landed a left to head and Gibbons swung a right to the jaw. Tom drove two rights to the head. Gibbons landed two lefts to the jaw. Gibbons drove a right into the corner. Carpentier smashed over a left to face and received two left hooks to the chin in return. Carpentier danced away from Gibbons right and left.

ROUND 3
Rain began to sprinkle as the boxers came out for the third round. Carpentier put a right to the head and Carpentier caught Gibbons flush on the jaw with a right in the clinch. Gibbons drove a right to the head. Carpentier missed rights to the body. Carpentier missed a right uppercut. In a clinch Gibbons drove two lefts to the body. Gibbons swung left to head and right to the body in clinch. Carpentier missed a left swing to head. Gibbons planted a right and left to the body at close quarters. Tom nailed Carpentier with right to the chin and he ran into a corner. Gibbons chasing him. Gibbons landed a left after Carpentier's left hook in Tom's stomach.

ROUND 4
They clinched and Tom dug three lefts to the body. Gibbons hooked a left to the chin and whipped over a right to the head. Carpentier backed away, but suddenly lashed out a right to Gibbons' chin. Carpentier shot a right to the head. Carpentier missed a right uppercut. In a clinch Gibbons drove two lefts to the body. Gibbons swung left to head and right to the body in clinch. Carpentier missed a left swing to head. Gibbons planted a right and left to the body at close quarters. Tom nailed Carpentier with right to the chin and he ran into a corner. Gibbons chasing him. Gibbons landed a left after Carpentier's left hook in Tom's stomach.

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FATALITY RECALLED

Hearing in the action of Mrs. Walton, widow of the late George Walton, in the Supreme Court this morning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Ask your grocer for Hellybrook Creamery Butter; quality guaranteed.

Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., Garden Fete on Tuesday, June 10, from 2 to 6 o'clock, at "Arran" Oak Bay. Admission 25c.

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet at the Victoria Club on Monday at 2.30. A full attendance of members is requested. Business important.

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Dr. Leeder has moved his offices to Union Bank Building, View Street.

Mrs. J. E. Elliott's Millinery Parlor, Government Street, has a full display of the Fall Real Lace Co., Ltd. Lingerie, Blouses, Lace, Linen, Babywear, Medallions, etc. An inspection is cordially invited.

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ton, electrocuted at his home on Fort Street early in the year, against the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, was set down for June 11 by Harold Beckwith, counsel for plaintiff, in the Supreme Court this morning.

George Walton was found dead in his basement early one Sunday morning with the fused remains of a portable lamp socket in his hands. Electrocutation was the opinion reached by the coroner's jury, without being concerned with the source of the shock which resulted fatally.

No plaintiff asks damages against the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, for the fatality and the resulting loss of the main support of the household.

SUES LODGE

The action of William Moulton against officers and trustees of the Royal Order of Moose was to-day set down by P. J. Simmott, counsel for plaintiff, for hearing on June 18. Plaintiff asks damages for alleged wrongful expulsion from the ranks of his former lodge and for a declaration of the court that he is still a loyal Moose.

At the returning officer's rooms here preparations for the election contest proceeded apace. The candidates in Victoria will appear in the following order: Liberal (4), Conservative (4), Independent (1), Labor (3), Provincial (4).

The ballot papers will be printed next week and applications made for absentee ballot papers from the other thirty-nine ridings.

PHONE

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LOWER PRICES TO COAL SUMMER SALE

Coal Will be Reduced in Price During June and July

A Summer reduction to induce the early purchase of coal is quite common in other centres, but it is somewhat of an innovation to the citizens of Victoria. The dealers here have long realized that an appeal to the public to lay in its coal supplies early has little effect unless accompanied by some inducement of a material character.

Market conditions in the past few years have not been such as would tend to make temporary price reductions practical.

This year a satisfactory arrangement has been made by which both the operators and dealers make temporary reductions and these reductions are now passed on to the public.

It is hoped that these prices will prove to be a mutual benefit to all concerned. To the mines and miners it should mean work during what is usually a very slack period. To the dealers it should mean work for their men and equipment during what has always been in the past a very stagnant season and to the public it should mean the way of obtaining good supply of well prepared fuel at a greatly reduced price.

No doubt but that this experiment will become an annual event if the public responds to what is a sincere attempt to improve coal mining and retailing conditions on this island.

Only those who buy during the months of June and July will profit from the reduced prices as the retail coal prices will return to the old levels on September 1.

The prices will assume their reduction during June and will advance again during August and until they reach their original and present figure during the month of September.

Teams For Interclub Golf Matches

Teams for the inter-club golf games to-morrow with the Uplands player named first in each case as follows:

- At Uplands**
9.15—A. V. Price vs. P. Thomas.
9.20—W. C. Brynjolfsson vs. C. W. P. Schwengers.
9.25—J. Savident vs. J. M. Wood.
9.30—R. J. Darcus vs. G. W. Simpson.
9.35—W. G. Leith vs. C. E. McKenzie.
9.40—J. E. Collins vs. J. N. Findlay.
9.45—H. Collings vs. T. O. McKay.
9.50—H. F. Hepburn vs. L. D. Rines.
9.55—R. Foulis vs. H. O. Kirkham.
10.00—W. P. D. Pemberton vs. W. S. Ellis.
10.05—C. Morrison vs. J. H. Beatty.
10.10—P. Edmonds vs. V. C. Martin.
10.15—S. H. de Barter vs. Judge Lamont.
10.20—S. L. Peesey vs. L. H. Hardie.
10.25—G. Pretty vs. E. W. Iamay.
10.30—R. Peachey vs. J. H. Richardson.
10.35—A. F. Thomas vs. John Galt.
10.40—F. Wilding vs. Dr. Geo. Hall.
10.45—W. A. R. Hadley vs. Wm. Cathcart.
10.50—W. H. H. Haldane vs. Dr. F. M. Bryant.

SEATS IN HOUSE ARE SOUGHT BY 168 CANDIDATES

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hitherto been mentioned, Henry McEvoy and H. E. Lyons.

It was not until the eve of nomination day that a change was made in the provincial nomination in the Nanaimo, when William Perrins withdrew in favor of A. M. Whiteside, who has taken a very active share in the "Provincials" campaign.

The threat of William Hugh of Cloverdale to take the field owing to the troubles over the administration of the apical regulations matured in his nomination as an independent Liberal in the Delta.

MR. JACKSON'S PAPER

The nomination of M. B. Jackson, K.C., for the islands was proposed by Alexander McDonald and seconded by J. T. Readings.

Assenting to the nomination were: John Greenwood, H. W. Dutton, A. Rankin, J. F. Simister, B. Blason, F. L. Hommel, W. A. Munro, John Marshall, W. Beaulieu, H. Readings, Jack Woulard, William Perrell, Evans, H. A. H. Churchill, Edward Walter, Cecil Springfield, Edwin Parsons, C. E. White Birch, E. Blackburn, Gilbert James Mount, Alfred Clarke, Lionel Roderick Beddis, Charles Allan Cartwright, Edward Rossman, James Henry Hord, Frederick Ernest Abbott, Craven Henry W. Noon, William Douglas Byers, Thomas Frank Speed, Wilfred Henry Seymour, Thomas Reid, Richard Toynbee.

THE COMING POLL

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TWO ACCIDENTS CRUSHED COVICHAN

Earl Gannett Killed When Crushed by Log

Another Logger Trapped by Rolling Log and Seriously Hurt

Covichan Lake, May 31.—A fatal logging accident occurred Wednesday at the Cameron Logging Company's camp at Mile 70 on the C.N.R., when Earl Gannett was killed almost instantly while engaged in loading operations. His head was crushed between a log and the support.

Mr. Gannett, who resided at Deerholme near Duncan, had been in the district for some time. He was twenty-five years of age and a member of Duncan Lodge I.O.O.F.

On Thursday another accident occurred at the same place. A logger, a Finlander (name not yet ascertained) was badly crushed on the head and body by a rolling log.

The accident happened just at the noon hour and the unfortunate man did not miss until the men came out to work again at 1 o'clock, when he was found, pinned down by the log. He was brought down by the foot of the lake in the Forestry Department launch and put under the care of Dr. Garner who superintended his transportation to Duncan Hospital.

INTERIOR TOUR SATISFIES PREMIER GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE INCREASED MAJORITY

(Continued from page 1.)

In every place visited by the Premier on his recent tour, large numbers of electors have turned out to hear him discuss his policies. Even in pioneer villages like the little town of Oliver, or in the backwoods settlements along the shores of Kootenay Lake, the electors have driven for miles to listen to the Premier.

TO SPEAK TO-NIGHT
First runs in the battle of oratory by which the citizens of Vancouver are to be educated in the issues of the election to be decided on June 20.

will be fired to-night when the Premier will speak from the balcony of the Hotel Vancouver ballroom. He will be surrounded by his six lieutenants in this district, the Liberal candidates for Vancouver riding.

Tired from his arduous traveling, but with plenty of reserve energy for the last three weeks' drive, Mr. Oliver will spend the day conferring with his party aides. This evening he will appear before a large crowd expected to be a bumper crowd to narrate the progress of the battle in the interior and to enthuse the forces in the city.

The importance to Vancouver and the whole Province of the freight traffic which the Government is waging for the purpose of developing the use of Pacific ports is expected to be the burden of his utterance.

In his very best fighting trim, Premier Oliver held a big audience in Agricultural Hall at Port Colborne last evening, when he spoke in behalf of the candidature of Maxwell Smith, Liberal candidate for Dwydney riding.

Mr. Oliver dealt at some length with the freight rate case, and took occasion to reply to J. B. Thomson, former president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, who recently claimed that he was instrumental in getting the Government to take up the issue.

The Premier said that he was in possession of a letter from Mr. Thomson, writing on behalf of the Board of Trade, thanking him for his efforts in the rate fight.

As for the suggestion that the fight had been started in 1922 by Mr. Thomson, the Premier referred to the Journalists' Association, which he said, would show that in 1907 he had personally moved a resolution in the Legislature, which was passed, to move for equalization of rates.

R. C. Taylor, president of the Port Cootenay Liberal Association, occupied the chair.

Earlier in the day Premier Oliver and Maxwell Smith addressed a meeting at Mission, where the Premier drew attention to the big increase in the shipment of grain westward since the freight rates fight began, pleased his audience by promising support to the movement to make the road on the north side of the river through to Harrison Bay and Agassiz a primary road.

REV. DR. MACKINNON REV. DR. NEW MODERATOR

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In Scotland and has spent his ministerial life in the provinces of Nova Scotia and Manitoba. He began in Nova Scotia, and was called to Westminster Church, Winnipeg, to succeed the late Rev. Dr. Chubb, and in Winnipeg there was built during his pastorate one of the finest ecclesiastical edifices in the communion, and he is still a frequent and welcome visitor to that church.

When he was called to his present post as head of the theological college of the denomination in the Maritimes, he was a frequent and welcome visitor to that church. Dr. Mackinnon is one of the most gifted and one of the most trusted men in the denomination, and on the opinion of his friends will render most efficient services in the Moderator's office.

MISSION WORK

Many adventures and minor matters will be discussed in the Assembly, but the subject of prime importance in every church meeting are those of home and foreign missions, and there is no doubt that special attention will be paid at the forthcoming meeting to the missions in foreign lands.

Among the members of the Assembly will be a veteran foreign missionary of the church, the Rev. Jonathan Goforth, who about forty years ago determined to go to Honan, North China, under the auspices of one of the foreign missionary societies of the United States. Some of his fellow-students took the ground that if Mr. Goforth was des-

"QUEEN" MONA AND HER GIFT HATS



A woman's crowning glory may be her hair, but in the above pictures "Queen" Mona, who held sway during the Victoria Day celebrations, is crowned by two most becoming hats, which together with a cheque for \$50 were presented to her by Mr. H. Malakoff of the South African Plume Shop. One is of white with a trim of transparent mohair, crown of white silk velvet flowers and a graceful lace drape, while the other is a close-fitting model of jade and gold set with packed flowers across the front. Both are the new "Bobbette" models made expressly for bobbed hair. The hats were presented to the Queen in a hat box of gold decorated with violet sprays, forming a most sumptuous and fitting receptacle for these lovely creations, the box being also included in the generous gift presented by Mr. Malakoff.

termined to go into the interior of China, his own church should open a mission there for him and this was done. At a later time a number of Canadian Presbyterians, ministers and doctors, entered the same field.

WILL ADDRESS ASSEMBLY

In recent times, Mr. Goforth, has been closely identified with some spectacular events in China, of which he will without doubt tell the story to the Assembly here. He has for some years been associated with the distinguished Chinese leader, General Feng, who is himself a Christian, and it is stated that in one day 6,000 of the soldiers of the general were baptised in the presence of the general.

Mr. Goforth has been, through his entire career, a most determined and active evangelist, ceaselessly proclaiming the mercy of God in Jesus Christ.

With Mr. Goforth will be the Rev. Dr. Harvey Grant, who has been for almost as long a time in the foreign field in North Honan, and who has been for many years closely identified with the administration of the work of the mission in that country.

GOODS SOLD

Another foreign missionary who will be in Owen Sound and who has a very interesting story to tell is the Rev. A. J. Mowatt, a Montreal boy, who was a minister with the Wesleyan church in Hwai King in the Honan mission. The most interesting story in this connection is briefly as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Mowatt were much touched in Hwai King by the pitiable condition of the many thousands of women living in poverty, in dark, windowless mud huts, without hope and often without food. Mr. Mowatt began to teach a class of women, and to teach them to sew, to embroider and to fancy sewing.

Some of these goods were sent home to Montreal where they found ready sale through the office of the Women's Missionary Societies, etc. More goods were forwarded from China, and these disappeared very quickly, the money being sent back to the mission at Hwai King for distribution. The supply was further increased because the large store space was rented in the Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal, and a store was opened on Bloor Street, Toronto.

The demand for such goods, for wedding and other presents, was so large that those in charge arranged to have the goods sent to Benares, and other cities in India.

As a result of these activities the original object of Mr. and Mrs. Mowatt has been to attain comfort for the poor women of Hwai King whose homes have been improved in quantity and quality. The salary of Mr. Mowatt is now wholly provided for by the profits of the business and there is money available for other departments of the mission.

Other foreign missionaries who will be here at the Assembly and who have most interesting stories to tell are Rev. J. T. Taylor, of India, and the Rev. Dr. A. Wilson, formerly of Neemuch, India, Rev. J. D. McElae, a professor in Shantung Christian University, who was in western Canada, will also be present. Dr. Wilson is arranging to spend the balance of his life in Trinidad, where a large number of Indian people are engaged in various employments and where the Presbyterian church has an important mission.

FINANCE

The commissioners to the Assembly when in conference here will be asked by the chief secretaries of the denomination to consider again with the utmost care the financial responsibilities which the church must face. The general work of the church at home and abroad is being carried on under the burden of a debt. The denomination period following the war in the era of depression which has not yet passed.

The possibilities of humanitarian work are so large both at home and abroad, that the officers of the church are constantly under pressure to assume new obligations and when money comes in freely, the hope is entertained that funds will continue to be provided in the same way. This hope again proved unfounded in recent years and it has been necessary to reduce expenditures during the past few years.

In the calendar year 1923, the total gifts to the church, including special contributions to deficits, were \$1,461,297, and the total disbursements were \$1,433,630. The deficit at the beginning of the calendar year 1923 was \$250,558, and the deficit at the beginning of the calendar year 1924, \$328,881. The deficit at the beginning of the year 1924 was \$328,881.

MISSION OUTLAY

The church spends roughly about \$600,000 a year on home missions and about \$500,000 a year on foreign missions. The balance goes to the theological colleges, of which there are eight, to the aged and infirm missionaries fund, cost of general

administration, etc. The givings of the congregation in the year 1923 showed an increase of \$21,462 over 1922 and of \$129,750 over 1921. The official organ of the denomination states that the loyalty and generosity of the membership of the church under trying and unsettled conditions are worthy of all praise.

CITY STATISTICS SHOW CONFIDENCE

Banks and Building Figures Indicate Advance

In spite of the slackening in the lumber trade on the Island business in Victoria last month has not yet felt the influence seriously.

Bank clearings were \$8,690,598, as compared with \$8,647,727 in May 1923. Building permits totalled \$267,000 for the five months which have elapsed, including \$143,240 for forty-six permits in May. This compares with permits for \$388,000 in the first five months of 1923, of which forty-two were in May for a value of \$21,135. It should be explained, however, that the figures of a year ago included two large bank building permits.

The telephone service is expanding, and several other phases indicate the steady nature of Victoria's business.

PAULINE MEETINGS

Hon. P. A. Pauline, Liberal candidate for Saanich, will speak at the Gordon Head Hall on Wednesday next at 8.15 p.m. He will be assisted by Hon. John Hart. On Friday next, Mr. Pauline and Premier John Oliver will speak at St. Mark's Hall, Boteskins Road.

TO HEAR DRYDOCK ARGUMENTS HERE

Evidence in Clements vs. Coughlan Case Concluded in Vancouver

Vancouver, May 31.—Evidence having been concluded here Friday afternoon in the trial of Herbert S. Clements vs. John J. Coughlan, Chief Justice Hunter will hear argument by counsel in Victoria on a date to be arranged.

The principal witness Friday afternoon was L. A. Rostein, who was representative of J. Coughlan p Sons in Ottawa for obtaining the Government drydock subsidy.

His contract with J. Coughlan and Sons was finished when he got the subsidy, stated the witness. He knew nothing of arrangements between J. J. Coughlan and the Andersons, he said.

He had nothing to do with disposing of the subsidy to the Wallace, he added.

Mr. Rostein vehemently objected to a statement made in evidence, that he had become discredited in the eyes of the jury. The witness said he had not intended to testify until he heard of this.

"For forty years I have been a resident of this Province, twenty-five years here and fifteen in Victoria," said Mr. Rostein. "My reputation is as good as Mr. Coughlan's."

LODGE DENIES ISSUE OF LIQUOR PERMITS

Did Not Know Existence of Firm Who Consigned to Canada

Washington, May 31.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, testified to-day before the Daugherty committee and made an explicit denial that he had ever been in the issue of export liquor permits as indicated in recent testimony by Gaston B. Means.

The story told by Means was that a permit in which Senator Lodge had interested himself had resulted in the exportation to Canada by Electric Railway of a consignment of liquor which later was handled by smugglers off Atlantic City. The Senator declared, however, that he never knew of the existence of Graven Brothers.

CREATES DISTURBANCE

Another volunteer witness, A. L. Fink of Rochester, N.Y., associated with the testimony with Roxie Stinson, launched into a series of charges which created a disturbance that had to be quelled by the police. Fink shouted that he was "the man Frank Vanderlip tried to give \$1,000 for perjured testimony against President Coolidge," and that he wanted to tell how Senator Wheeler, the committee prosecutor "got boozed for Roxie Stinson."

"We don't want your lies," Chairman Brookhart thundered back at him, and Senator Ashurst, Democrat, Arizona, the only other committee member present, told Fink he was a crook.

DELIVERS TOMORROW'S EXCLUSION PROTEST

Ambassador Hanihara Called at U.S. State Department To-day

Washington, May 31.—Ambassador Hanihara, acting on instructions from his Government delivered to-day to Secretary Hughes the protest made by Tokio against the exclusion provision of the new immigration act.

The Ambassador called at the State Department shortly before noon, and was received at once by Secretary Hughes. Neither he nor the Secretary, it was said, would have any statement to make.

Secretary Hughes and other administration officials concerned will begin immediately a study of the protest. This task is expected to require several days or more and pending its completion no formal announcement regarding the attitude of the Washington Government will be forthcoming.

YOUTHS CONFESS THEY KILLED FRANKS BOY IN CHICAGO

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done in an automobile of the same make as owned by Leopold.

ACCUSE EACH OTHER
Leopold and Loeb each accused the other of striking the blow.

The youths were together the night of the kidnapping and after the killing when Mrs. Franks, the mother, was called to the telephone by a man who told her her son had been kidnapped and was safe.

The following day, Mr. Crowe said, Loeb telephoned from a drug store to the Franks' home, directing the method of delivering the \$10,000 ransom. Shortly before the alleged confession, Leopold had made a lengthy and direct declaration of innocence, asserting that if he were guilty, he would say "punish me."

Leopold is nineteen years of age.

ENGLISHMAN WINS

Birmingham, Eng., May 31.—J. D. B. Wheatley of Great Britain's Davis Cup team to-day defeated Eduardo Plaqueur of the Spanish team 6-2, 1-6, 6-4, 6-1 in the first singles match of the British-Spanish encounter in the second round of European play for the cup.

The British reached the second round by defeating Belgium in the only first round tie in the entire European draw, all the others being given byes.

To the Public:

It has come to our attention that various persons nominated for Seats in the Legislature have, stated publicly that the recent increase in price granted us by the Liquor Control Board for our product was given in return for political assistance, material or otherwise. We most emphatically state that no conditions of this kind were connected with the matter.

In fairness to the Brewers it is felt that the general public should be in possession of the actual facts. After the introduction of the Government Liquor Act following the Plebiscite held in the year 1920, the Government was asked to pay \$15.00 per barrel free of Sales Tax, and as a result of numerous negotiations, the Brewers share of the Government sale price was fixed at \$13.00 per barrel. Subsequently, however, the Dominion Government imposed an additional Excise Tax of \$1.71 per barrel, and increased the sales tax. The Provincial Government disputed the right of the Dominion to charge a sales tax, but the Brewers had to pay it, and have an unsettled claim of some \$200,000.00 against the Liquor Control Board. This despite the definite promise on the part of the authorities that if the Government were not successful in its legal fight against the Dominion Government that they would repay the Brewers. During the period of two years following the introduction of the present Act, the B. C. Government earned approximately \$2,000,000.00 from the sale of beer, while during the same period one Brewery was forced into liquidation, paying only twenty cents on the dollar while other Breweries barely weathered the financial gale. As the result of constant demands on their part, it was finally agreed to increase to \$16.50 the price per barrel in the issue of export liquor permits as indicated in recent testimony by Gaston B. Means.

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THREE PORTLAND PEOPLE DROWNED

Portland, Ore., May 31.—Three Portland residents were drowned yesterday. J. McLean Fisher and his son Louis lost their lives while attempting to rescue Mr. Fisher's six-

teen-year-old daughter, Dorothy, who had sunk in the Salmon River. The bodies of the three were recovered shortly afterward, and the young woman was resuscitated. The third person to perish by drowning was Egan Beauchamp, who fell from a boom of logs in the Willamette River.

MONEY WAS VOTED FOR D.S.C.R. WORK

Commons Approved Proposed
Outlay of \$9,418,000 For
Returned Men

Ottawa, May 31.—All the estimates of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment with the exception of an appropriation of \$150,000 for the Federal Appeal Board were approved by the Commons in committee yesterday afternoon and last evening. The amounts voted totaled \$9,418,000.

The vote of \$2,553,000 for salaries was divided as follows: General administration, \$1,425,000; training, employment and insurance, \$123,000; hospitals and clinics, \$2,005,000.

Hon. H. S. Bland, the minister, in answer to opposition demands for decreases in the department's staffs, replied that he had approached the question three years ago with the conviction that the Ottawa staff was too large. He had been forced to the conclusion that it could not be reduced very rapidly. Then there were 8,000 employees for 5,000 patients. To-day there were 2,500 employees for 3,600 patients.

The item of \$2,553,000 was then carried and the vote of \$2,100,000 for pay and allowances was next considered and carried.

VOCATIONAL LOANS
The item of \$20,000 for vocational loans was also passed.

The vote of \$23,000 for interest on war service gratuities and administration funds was passed after the Minister had explained that the department was trustee for pension

funds of the men who were in hospital. The vote of \$200,000 for unemployment relief was passed. Dr. Bland stated 4,553 persons had received relief last year.

The operating expenses and working capital item of \$450,000 was passed without opposition.

The employees' liability and compensation item of \$30,000, to provide for employees for any liability that might incur through the employment of disabled soldiers of more than twenty per cent. disability, was carried. A vote of \$80,000 for sheltered employment, burial of destitutes and transportation of the blind was also passed.

ATTITUDE OF OFFICIALS

The Conservatives chief criticism was based on the claim that applications for treatment and pensions had not always received sympathetic treatment at the hands of the department officials which they merited. Specific cases were cited to bear out this contention.

Dr. Bland, Minister of the Department, replied that the cases cited were but a very small proportion of the 147,000 who were for review year after year by the pension board. The pension board appointed by the Pension Commissioners was not under his jurisdiction, he said, and expressed the greatest confidence in the medical profession throughout Canada employed by the D.S.C.R.

"ALICE X," HOBO, MAY BE DEPORTED

Girl in Port Arthur, Ont., Jail
Was Born in California

Port Arthur, Ont., May 31.—"Alice X," female hobo, serving a sentence of thirty days in the district jail here for beating her way on a train, and a personality of much mystery last week, made one slip when she decided to remain silent concerning her exploits. She told the authorities she was born in California. The authorities have already taken official notice of the case and "Alice X" may have to remain in the custody of the jailer until she has been cleared or an order for deportation signed.

FEW GERMANS ON STAGE IN BRITAIN

London, May 31 (Canadian Press Cable).—Miss Margaret Bondfield, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Labor, denies a story in circulation to the effect that nearly 500 German music hall performers have obtained permission to appear in this country shortly. She declares only five permits were issued to German artists to appear in Great Britain during the last seventeen months and these permits were allowed only for a short time in each case.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE

Montreal, May 31.—Pleading guilty to two charges of defamatory libel, John H. Roberts was yesterday given a little fatherly advice and a suspended sentence by Mr. Justice Wilson. The two charges were laid in 1922 on the complaint of E. B. Bryan of Logan & Bryan, and referred to assertions made by the accused in his weekly newspaper, The Axe.

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SOUTHERN RHODESIA ASSEMBLY MEETS

First Session of Representative
Government Being Held
in Hotel Dance Hall

Salisbury, Rhodesia, May 31.—Sir John Chancellor, Governor, opened the first session of the Legislative Assembly of Southern Rhodesia yesterday.

The Speech from the Throne expressed the regret of the whole country at the postponement of the visit of the Prince of Wales to South Africa.

It was stated the estimated revenue and expenditure would be dealt with on the basis that the Government should relieve the British South Africa Company, which formerly administered the country, of financial responsibility for the whole financial year. Conditions in that respect were appreciably better than had been anticipated, with the result that the year had closed with a substantial surplus which was available for the current year. Notwithstanding the depressed state of trade generally, business in Rhodesia should be satisfactory on the whole, and present returns indicated an improvement in the financial position of the country.

The Government's policy, it was announced, was to acquire from the chartered company its rights in the minerals of the country at a reasonable figure.

UNIQUE CONDITIONS

The first assembly was opened under unique conditions and before a huge audience, including many settlers who had traveled from remote districts. The assembly is being held in the dance hall of a hotel. This is probably the first time in the history even of colonial legislatures that such an august body has deliberated on licensed premises. Nevertheless the dignity of the occasion was well maintained. The curious waiting crowds were entertained with music.

Rhodesia, up until last year, was administered by the British South Africa Company under an imperial charter and while this company has turned over its political duties to the newly-elected representative government, it still retains large interests in the country, including the mineral rights. Millions were paid to the company for the purchase of public administrative buildings and other property.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, VOTE NOW —BEING COUNTED

Indianapolis, May 31.—Charles P. Howard, president of the International Typographical Union, yesterday leading in his contest for re-election by 15,522 votes to 10,205 for James M. Lynch of Syracuse, New York, today at the headquarters of the union here yesterday. It was stated the vote represented approximately half of the membership of the union and included about forty locals, some being among the largest in the organization.

It was stated at the headquarters that the official vote of the international officers would not be announced until the international canvassing board, which is to meet June 7, reviews and tabulates the ballots.

Included among the cities which have reported were most of the places said to have been strongholds of Howard backers, supporters of Lynch: are expecting a big vote in the smaller western cities and declare their candidate will be elected by a majority of from 4,500 to 5,000.

CHINESE GIRL REPORTED MISSING IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, May 31.—Police are searching for eighteen-year-old Tuen Hung, daughter of Goon Ling Dang, Canton Alley, Vancouver, who disappeared from her home May 15 and has not been seen since.

Friends and relatives of the missing girl have conducted a search ever since, but to no avail. They fear she has been abducted and detectives have been assigned to the search. She is described as being four feet ten inches tall, of medium build, and when last seen was wearing a brown hat and brown dress, with black shoes and stockings.

DR. J. W. EDWARDS IS NEW ORANGE LEADER

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., May 31.—Dr. J. W. Edwards of Kingston, Ont., was elected grand master of the Supreme Grand Orange Lodge of British North America in session here yesterday.

The following delegates from Western Canada are among the executives chosen: Deputy Grand Master, John Easton, Winnipeg; Grand Lecturer, Stuart Adrian, Craik, Sask.; Deputy Grand Lecturer, A. Hume, Winnipeg.

The next meeting of the lodge will be held in Vancouver, B.C., on the last Wednesday of May, 1925.

POINCARÉ CABINET'S TERM IS ENDING

Paris, May 31.—The last full meeting of the Poincaré Cabinet with President Millerand presiding took place yesterday at the Palace of the Elysee. The Government will meet again in council, but the meeting will occur at the Foreign Office, and Premier Poincaré alone will be in the President's residence to present the resignation of the Cabinet.

The present Government has practically ceased to exist so far as the President is concerned, for its members will not again present themselves in a body before the chief of state. The last act of the present Cabinet in full council was to appoint General Weygand a member of the Superior War Council for 1924.

CHILD'S LIFE SAVED

Ottawa, May 31.—Three-year-old Gordon McLaurin yesterday swallowed three-fourths of the contents of a box of pills containing enough strychnine and calomel to kill several children. He was saved by the use of a stomach pump before the pills dissolved.

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FARM LOAN PLAN IS BEING STUDIED

Committee of Commons Considers Suggestions Made by
Dr. H. M. Tory

Ottawa, May 31.—Emergency legislation to authorize the Federal Government to make loans to the Provincial Governments for use through the provincial loan organizations was suggested by Dr. H. M. Tory, author of the recent report on farm credit, before the Commons Banking and Commerce Committee yesterday. The loans should be guaranteed, he said, by the provinces. Dr. Tory thought all that would be necessary would be to get parliamentary permission. The details might be left to be worked out by the Federal Government.

As a basis for this proposal, Dr. Tory summarized his main conclusions. He laid down these principles:

1. The farm loan board principle as operated in the United States, was sound and could be applied to Canada.

2. Government help would be required in the way of capital.

3. He had serious doubt of the soundness of direct loans by the Government.

4. Therefore an effort should be made to establish a national farm loan board for the purpose of supervising the bank or banks which would absorb the existing Provincial Government loan organizations.

5. This bank should be capitalized by Government, Federal or Provincial, and by private capital, if obtainable. In the United States no private subscriptions were obtained for capital, but plenty was available for bonds. The loans should also be financed on bonds.

6. Interest rates should be regulated and dividend rates in the bank or banks fixed. It should be amortized and there should be steps taken to place the responsibility on the borrower.

CUB-COMMITTEE

J. T. Shaw, Independent, Calgary West, moved for the formation of a sub-committee to consider Dr. Tory's emergency proposal, and on the chairman's advice this motion included instructions to consider amendments to the Bankruptcy Act so as to make it more available to the farming community.

The motion was carried. Asked if \$15,000,000 would give a substantial amount of relief, Dr. Tory replied that he did not think more than that amount could be handled this year. He would put \$10,000,000 as the outside figure. The committee adjourned until Thursday next.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Ottawa, May 31.—In the Senate yesterday Senator McMeans, Winnipeg, was informed that from 1920 to 1923, inclusive, the Federal Government had contributed \$196,523 to unemployment relief in Winnipeg.



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TWO DROWNED IN LAKE ONTARIO

Rochester, N.Y., May 31.—Mrs. Elmer G. Knapp and J. Walter Tracey, both of this city, were drowned in Lake Ontario yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Knapp and Mrs. Tracey were swept from the deck of a yacht in a heavy gale and Tracey dived in to rescue them. Mrs. Tracey was saved.

BODY OF MAN FOUND

Eugene, Ore., May 31.—The body of David Linn, a prominent business man of Eugene, who was drowned in the Willamette River here December 7, 1922, was found four miles below the city yesterday by a fisherman. Identification was positive. Linn, who was the head of a sand and gravel company, and Henry Nestle, one of his employees, were trying to repair a cable in the river while the water was very high and their boat capsized and both were drowned. Nestle's body was found soon afterward.

SUIT FOR \$250,000

Vancouver, May 31.—Suit for \$250,000 was filed in the Supreme Court yesterday by Dai Thomas, Welsh international footballer, now a resident of Vancouver and formerly of Victoria, against R. H. Gale and the Terminal Elevator Company. Mr. Thomas claims this sum as commission under the terms of a certain letter alleged to have been written by R. H. Gale for the Terminal Elevator Company. Thomas, it is understood, based his claim on the contention that he was instrumental in assisting to enlist the Spillers capital in Mr. Gale's elevator project in Vancouver.

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On June 1 the following prices for Vancouver Island Coal will go into effect:

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WHAT ABOUT THE DEBT, GROSS AND NET?

THE distinction between British Columbia's gross debt and her net debt—a matter of a mere \$38,775,267—is referred to as "amusing" by some Conservative campaign speakers, running around the rural hustings.

But, getting down to hard facts, the difference between the gross and net debt is not amusing at all. Those who have looked into the figures, find the difference highly pleasing, as they realize how much they, as taxpayers, are saved through the fact that the gross and net debts are not the same.

The gross debt of British Columbia on Jan. 1, 1924, was

-\$71,432,261.00

The revenue-producing debt, including \$12,139,543 of sinking funds, totals

-\$32,656,993.92

Subtracting the revenue-producing debt from the gross debt gives the net debt amounting to

-\$38,775,267.08

Now the revenue-producing debt represents money borrowed by the Government at the request of various parts of the Province, for investment in specific development projects and this money is not a dead load on the Government.

Last year this revenue-producing debt brought in a cash return to the Government of \$884,577.21, which is 6.20 per cent. of the \$14,376,500 which the Government put into the various projects.

One man, who has been out in the rural parts to make capital at the expense of accuracy, cried: "Gross or net, a debt is a debt. There is absolutely no difference."

There is considerable difference, however. It is the difference between the Province having to pay, and the project affected itself paying. The men who have been making these statements in an effort to create a campaign sensation, do not in their private business affairs refer to their investments in revenue-producing enterprises as net debts. So why should they not be honest and fair about it when it comes to considering public finance?

In their anxiety to dazzle the rural voters with impressive figures, two men who have been talking loudly in Saanich even scorned to credit the Government with such a small item as the \$12,139,543.22 of sinking funds which the Government has built up against its debt and which is actually to its credit in the bank or in interest-bearing bonds.

To be exhaustive, consider the details of the revenue-producing debt which is subtracted from the gross debt to give the net debt. The items to be subtracted are:

Sinking Funds	\$12,139,543.92
P.G.E. Collateral	5,925,125.00
Forest Protection	309,000.00
Land Settlement Board	5,995,000.00
Dykling Debentures	445,000.00
Soldiers' Land Act	2,757,850.00
Department of Industries	1,025,000.00
Conservation, Water Act	2,152,150.00
Better Housing Loan	1,701,500.00
B.C. House, London, Mortgage	215,825.00
	\$32,656,993.92

Despite what is said on the platforms, it is obvious, of course, that the twelve millions of sinking funds which the Government has in possession ready to meet its obligations as they fall due, can in no way be considered a debt, and must be deducted from the gross. This note of these debt critics has been fair enough to do.

Also the amount of nearly six millions of collateral security which the Government holds against Mr. Bowser's P.G.E. is not a debt.

The \$300,000 for forest protection is only an annual advance to cover forest fire work and is repaid to the Government at the end of the year by the owners of the timber licenses benefited.

The Government's investments under the Land Settlement Board and Soldiers' Land Act, in dyking debentures, in the Department of Industries, better housing loans, in conservation under the Water Act, and in connection with quarters for its representation in London, last year returned as a group more than six per cent. on what was put into them. It is true that some of these projects are on not as sound a basis as others. They were undertaken by the Government in an earnest effort to ease the returned soldier problem after the war, when considerations of helping the men and their families came first and money second. But they have been managed so that they are far from being anything in the nature of a net debt on the people of the Province.

Surely those men making speeches in Saanich must know these facts if they seriously aspire to public office. What ultimate advantage, then, can they hope from letting on to the rural voters that they do not know any better? People will begin to think they don't.

UNIVERSITY OPPORTUNITIES

From The Calgary Herald
The first aim of a state university should be to extend its advantages to as many young students as possible. These benefits ought not to be kept for the favored number that live close to the actual buildings of the institution or to those whose parents can afford to send them to it.

A NEW NATIONAL POLICY

PREMIER MACKENZIE KING, in his speech on the Budget in the House of Commons, outlined what is being received with welcome and hope by the people of Canada as a new national policy.

The Premier considered the question of capital, explaining that in the great basic industries capital is the machinery, the implements and the tools required to aid labor in this development; also the food and clothing essential to the workers engaged while production is bringing forth its fruits.

As the implements of production are the essential capital for those basic industries upon which the whole of the national wealth and development depend, the Liberal Party, of which he is leader, has stood for the reduction to the lowest point possible of the duties on the implements of production and particularly those connected with agriculture.

"We have been seeking a policy which would help to develop the whole of the national life; and it would be just as logical to put a tax upon every immigrant who comes into the country and goes to work in mine, or field or forest, as it is to put a tax on the implement he has to use in order to extract the wealth from the soil," the Premier said. "We say, therefore, that in so far as the circumstances of the country will permit, we believe that in our policy we are laying the foundation of a great industrial revival in this country, that we are establishing a truly national policy."

SAVED

FOR the successful fight to save Victoria's Y.M.C.A. which they have put up in the face of many discouragements, this community owes a debt of gratitude to Dr. M. W. Thomas, president; Captain George McGregor, chairman, and the officers who worked with them in the money-raising campaign.

The committee is now within \$2,000 of the \$30,000 necessary to meet the demands of the mortgage. The drive will end Monday at noon, when the mortgage must be met. Last minute contributions from persons who have not yet participated, but who feel that they should do something to assist in this unselfish work, are expected through the mail.

For the first time in its history Victoria, as a result of the efforts of these men, will now have an adequate Y.M.C.A. free of debt and in a position to carry on its work among men and boys without continually having to make public appeals in order to keep its doors from being closed.

The Times this week published copies of the first photographs sent by long distance telephone wire, and F. P. A. writes: "Our notion of a practical joke now will be to wire a photograph of oneself collected."

There is a record in the variety and number of candidates and platforms in this election, but there is only one issue: Can B.C. afford to do without John Oliver? No strong man has yet loomed capable of taking his place.

The trade balance of the Soviet Union, of Russia for 1922-23 was favorable, and during 1923-24 the policy of restricting imports while encouraging exports; has been, according to the British representative at Moscow, carried still further. Germany is Russia's best customer, while the United States would appear to come next. Britain occupies third place. It is estimated that 94 per cent. of the trade of the Soviet Union passes through State channels. The part played by private capital, therefore, remains very small.

Every country, even every community, has among its citizens those who would be better for broadening as Sinclair Lewis, the author of "Main Street," has been broadened by his trip abroad. On his return home the other day, he said: "I am cured. I'll never talk of the peculiarities of England or America again. The English are an admirable people and I like many of them. I don't like all of them any better than I like all Americans. It is a mistake to judge people by those of that nationality who happen not to like."

LOOKING FORWARD

From The London Mail
"You are certain," asked the elderly lady of the florist, "that this young century plant will bloom in 100 years from now?"
"Positive," said the florist. "If it doesn't—bring it back."

GENTLE JUDGMENT

A. Maude Norden, in "The Friendship of God." When he was questioned about his religious opinions—about all sorts of things on which it seems to us a gross impertinence to question a stranger—every letter was answered, and with such courtesy such gentleness, such willingness to assume the best of those who criticized him, as to compel the admission that there was something of saintliness in the life of Darwin. To one who had attacked him rather vehemently, and then apologized, Darwin wrote: "Do not think I was annoyed at your letter. I saw that you had been thinking with animation, and therefore expressed yourself strongly, and so I understood."

We are governed, not by democracy, but by accidents—Comyns Carr, M.P.

WINDS OF EROS

From The Irish Statesman
I love to think this fragrant air I breathe in the deep-bosomed night Has mixed with beauty and may bear The burden of a heart's delight.

This may have been the burning breath That uttered Delilah's love, It may have been a note outlasting death As Sappho sang her heart away, It may have fanned a joy so deep That illium must pay the price, And under desert sand must sleep Heroes and towers in sacrifice.

And this rich air, it may have been— To bring these dreams, so sweet a throng— Sighed by the lovely listening queen While Solomon had sung his song. So it will take from me, from thee, Ere from our being it departs, And keep for lovers yet to be All the enchantment of our hearts. A. E.

Dr. Frank Crane on "Stinnes"

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THE richest man in the world is dead. Hugo Stinnes was called the richest man in the world.

The Government reckoned his wealth at half a billion and expects to get \$125,000 from his inheritance tax.

Stinnes was fond of displaying his wealth in a peculiar way. Passing a newspaper office or a factory or a coal mine he would say: "I own that." He seemed to take a childish delight in the accumulation of things.

Now he is dead and has left it all. He has gone into the next world with no pocket in his shroud. He enters there as a poor man. He is worth no more than he is worth.

It is singular that the richest man in the world, as he is called, is from the poorest country in the world, which shows that a man's riches do not depend upon the riches of his fellow creatures but, quite often, upon their poverty.

The rich men of the United States get on, as a rule, by helping other people on. The prosperity of such workers as Henry Ford is commensurate with the prosperity of those around him.

But in any case when a man comes down to take the little boat that crosses the other shore there is room in it only for himself and his friends.

How many friendships has Stinnes accumulated? How many men were devoted to him as the maker of their fortunes? How many little children mourned at his grave? How many widows and orphans and the little ones of earth were desolate because this great man had departed?

No man can gather together a half billion dollars without deeply impressing his fellow-men in some way. Was Stinnes merely an example of the accumulative instinct? If so, the money he has scraped together will soon fly away. Was he more than this? Was he a sample of the organizing power of the German people, or of modern times? Will his example be followed by others?

After all a man's life and his works must be judged by the people he has left and by the effect upon the living world whether he be rich or poor. To some it may seem but as the falling of a tall pine in the forest; those who are near him may be interested in the toppling. A few may bemoan the loss of it.

Some die rich in money only, and in goods which they owned for a while and which after them go to others to dissipate or conserve. Some die rich in friendships and in the influence they have left upon other lives, but all must pass.

It is the race that continues. One by one the figures that are conspicuous drop away. Their places are soon taken and their judgment is prompt in its decision, sometimes cruel in its quickness, but their judgment it is which must stand.

Hugo Stinnes was a man, and as a man he is mortal. His figure has been removed from Germany and from the world. Hugo Stinnes' money is a little longer lived. It remains in the world to bless it or curse it after he has gone.

The Search For the Northwest Passage

IT was on May 31, 1877, that three little ships of England crossed the harbor mouth at Harwich, bound on the quest of a passage to the East, as the Elizabeth called the Chinese Empire, around the north of the continent of America. Frail ships they seem to us, these craft of twenty-five tons, to brave the North Atlantic storms and the Arctic peril of grinding ice. But their commander, Sir Martin Frobisher, had already dared the Atlantic and the Arctic in them, and after strange and thrilling adventures, had found bleak northern lands unknown before, which, on his return, the Virgin Queen had been pleased to name Meta Incognita, the unknown land, for she had read much in the classic languages in her youth. This land to-day is the southern point of Baffin Island. Here he had met the Esquimaux, and had bartered with them for furs, and had brought back some pieces of black rock which some chemist—chemist had pronounced as containing gold.

Now this second venture had been easily financed, for the merest rumor of gold had brought the London merchants flocking round. Northward the little fleet stood for a week to the Orkney Islands, there took on water, while the mariners and gentlemen adventurers aboard marvelled at the almost savage manners and mode of living of the natives there, and thence on north again till within the Arctic Circle they set their course westward by the glare of the unfading Arctic sun. Curving round a little to the south they were swept past the southern point of Greenland by fierce gales, and in the middle of July touched again the Meta Incognita of the previous year's discovery.

All among the black, bleak headlands, ice-circled and worn, the three English ships searched for the Northwest Passage and for gold. Landing parties tried the barren soil in various parts and fought the aborigines, eventually kidnapping a young mother with her baby-bundle on her back to take home as a specimen of the human fauna.

WITH all the pomp and ceremony of the period Sir Martin Frobisher took possession of this desolate country for the Queen of England, and his men erected huge piles or cairns of stones to signify the fact of England's ownership. They thought it was the gateway to the hoped-for passage, as, indeed, in a manner it is, that passage was to lure so much of England's finest effort for three centuries to come, and when finally conquered by a Norwegian in 1498, to prove so useless, such a heroic illusion.

So near to Hudson Strait was Frobisher thirty years before Hudson himself had so disastrously found it, and yet it was the worthless inlet, still called after him, which he chose to search. And nothing came of it, for no westward outlet could he find. However, he had his men load the tiny vessels deep in the water with rock which glittered yellow and which they thought pure gold.

Home they sailed, temper-driven, suffering, excited, with their cargo of iron, or perhaps copper, pyrite which the clumsy metallurgists of the day took so long to assay that Frobisher was off again in 1578 before it was decided that his sheen was not the sheen of gold. They arrived separately at Milford Haven in Wales, at Yarmouth and at Bristol.

Even a third voyage, failed to dampen the ardor or quench the faith of Frobisher in the existence of his Northwest Passage. Willingly he would have started on a fourth to colonize that inhospitable land had not the interest in his ventures died away with the failure of the assay of his cargo of rock, and capital fought shy of such a wild-geese chase.

Frobisher, earliest of Englishmen to tempt those stern, northern seas, has left his name as a fitting monument in that forbidding north which is now a part of Canada and left his story of adventure as the earliest, save Cabot's, in which the English enter the annals of this Dominion.

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The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Published by The Weather Bureau, Department of Agriculture

Victoria, May 31—5 a.m.—The barometer is abnormally high over Northern B.C. and fine, warm weather is general from the Coast eastward to Manitoba.

Reports
Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 54; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Markerville—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 36; wind, calm; rain, 54; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 44; wind, calm; rain, 62; weather, cloudy.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 50; wind, 14 miles N.W.; weather, foggy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, foggy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 86; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 75; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Temperature
Victoria..... 65
Vancouver..... 72
Kamloops..... 78
Markerville..... 58
Prince Rupert..... 54
Estevan..... 58
Tatoush..... 58
Edmonton..... 86
Seattle..... 75

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NOT THERE

To the Editor:—As my name appeared in your paper as being on the executive committee of the Independent Conservatives supporting Mr. A. Lookley, I wish to state that I was not present at the meeting and gave no authority to be placed in such position.

H. C. STALLARD,
520 Constance Avenue, Esquimalt,
May 31, 1924.

Good Progress is Made in Construction of Memorial Hall

The excellent weather conditions are enabling good progress to be made with the construction of the Cathedral Memorial Hall on Vancouver Street. Plasterers are busily engaged in the main hall on the ground floor and in finishing the class rooms on the upper floor. The builders are now giving special attention to the recreation hall, which, according to the plans, will have a pitched roof. With the building rapidly approaching completion, contributions are now coming in towards the furnishing fund. In addition to the use of the Memorial Hall for church work and the religious instruction of the young on Sundays and week-days, it is expected that the auditorium will be in demand for high-class musical recitals, and other public gatherings. It is understood that applications have already been made for this purpose.

ESQUIMALT LIBERALS

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday night next at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the Liberal Committee rooms on Esquimalt Road, opposite the Municipal Hall.

A large turnout of members of the Association and all Liberals of Esquimalt is looked for as business will be important in connection with the campaign. Refreshments will be served and there will be smokes for the men.

LAND PURCHASE

Mrs. Staveley of Gordon Head has purchased a very beautiful tract of land at St. Margaret's Bay, Gordon Head. It is the intention of Mrs. Staveley to acquire the public with this beautiful spot so little known by local residents.

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Happy Vale Pineapple, per tin.....	30¢	Delicious Brand Fish Paste, per jar.....	25¢
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AT THE THEATRES

Last Performances
of "The India Rubber
Girl" at Playhouse

Large crowds are expected to-night for the last two performances of this week's play at the Playhouse Theatre. "The India Rubber Girl" has been a great success as a laugh producer being one of the funniest farces that Reginald Hincks has yet put before the public. There are times when a lie of lesser magnitude will, through circumstances, lead on to lies of greater magnitude, which in turn lead to more lies until the most surprising thing in the world and the funniest, is the truth. Such is the case in the "India Rubber Girl," and the situations thereby caused are certainly worth seeing.

Barthelmess Brings
New Type to Screen
in "Enchanted Cottage"

With "The Enchanted Cottage," Richard Barthelmess' newest production under the direction of John S. Robertson, Mr. Barthelmess adds

AT THE THEATRES
Capitol—"The Uninvited Guest."
Dominion—"A Woman of Paris."
Playhouse—"The India Rubber Girl."
Columbia—"Little Johnny Jones."
Royal—"The Enchanted Cottage."
Pantages—"The World and His Wife."

another type of motion picture to the long and varied list which he has already made.

In "The Enchanted Cottage," which will be shown at the Royal Theatre for the last time to-day, Mr. Barthelmess plays the role of a broken down war veteran, a youth who has lost all interest in life and who is physically ruined as the result of the war. This role not only gives the star an opportunity to add another character portrait to his gallery, but "The Enchanted Cottage," with its whimsical comedy and its subtle theme that love makes all things beautiful, promises to be the sort of picture which has a general appeal to all types of movie fans.

In May McAvoy, who plays oppo-

site Mr. Barthelmess, "The Enchanted Cottage" finds an exceptionally well cast heroine. Miss McAvoy possesses the acting ability to appear in the double role of a plain, almost homely, and colorless girl, and a beautiful woman, rich with youth and fire.

Furthermore, the direction of John S. Robertson is a guarantee that "The Enchanted Cottage" will be one of the finest of the year's productions. Its theme has something in common with "Sentimental Tommy" and it has been said of Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, when he wrote "The Enchanted Cottage," that for the first time in his life he turned aside from the society plays he had been in the habit of writing, and attempted to do something along the lines of Sir James Barrie, author of "Sentimental Tommy."

Malvina Polo is
Engaging Addition
to Chaplin Cast

Malvina Polo, whose interpretation of the false friend in "A Woman of Paris," is one of the outstanding bits of the play in addition to stage and screen experience has also been in several features made abroad in Austria. She is the daughter of Edna Polo.

"A Woman of Paris" is now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

Winchell Smith,
"Lightnin'" Co-author,
Famous Dramatist

Probably because his plays have rung true with wholesome heart interest, Winchell Smith has suffered none of the disappointments that usually fall to the lot of the playwright. His name has never been linked with an outright failure, either as an author or director, but his most conspicuous is "Lightnin'" the famous comedy classic which John Golden will present at the Royal Victoria Theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2, 3 and 4.

Mr. Smith wrote the play in collaboration with Frank Bacon and he has personally staged the production to be seen here with Thomas Jefferson in the role of Lightnin' Bill Jones.

A list of plays in which Mr. Smith has been concerned either as author or director, reads like a roll of honor of the American theatre. It includes "The Fortune Hunter," "Brewster's Millions," "Polly of the Circus," "Officer 666," "The New Henrietta," "Turn to the Right," "Dear Me," "Thank-U," and "The First Year."

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SUNDAY

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VISITING PLAYERS
SCORE TRIUMPH

University Players' Club of
Vancouver Performed
Here Last Night

Playing in this city on their tour, which has extended throughout the Province, and which may take them still further afield, the Players' Club of the University of B.C. last night appeared here in "The World and His Wife," adapted from the Spanish drama by Jose Echegaray, at the Pantages Theatre. They were greeted by an excellent house, and received nothing but the most complimentary of criticisms from all sides.

Although the play was by no means a simple production in any way, the players from the B.C. University handled the thing admirably, displaying surprising talent in every department. Costuming and scenic effects were excellent, and the diction of the artists was perfect.

Professor G. C. W. who has been directing the productions of the Players' Club for several years, is to be complimented upon the marked ability of the actors and actresses whom he has taken such infinite pains to train in the finer points of the drama. His choice fell upon "The World and His Wife," a play which he whose judgment selected the best of the university's artists to perform.

Don Ecenato, the hero of the drama, whose difficult role was played by Peter Palmer, was a superb character. Tommy Taylor, as Captain Beauchamp of the British Embassy, was another outstanding figure. Misses Betty Somerset and Alfreda Berkeley, as Donna Mercedes and Donna Teodora, respectively, were charming and attractive in their roles. But the whole cast handled itself with a confidence and stage presence truly admirable, and played its difficult parts with the nicety and precision of veterans of the boards.

The scene of the play is laid in the romantic setting of Old Spain, but the drama is modern in every respect and holds a high interest throughout. The satire sparkling through it, and the great, sustained climax at the conclusion, in which H. N. Cross, Mr. Taylor and Miss Somerset uphold the most difficult parts of their whole roles, make the thing a most unusual theatrical production.

The didactic aspect of the play, although not glaring in its presence, was forceful and strong, and could be felt precisely as it was intended it should be, without detracting in the slightest from the interest of the plot and the attractions of the characters. Gossip, scandal and the resulting complications of such relations make a decidedly interesting background for the intricacies of theme such as is contained in the drama.

The play is in full with that gripping and romantic tragedy of which, in general, Spanish authors are so fond. But in its adaptation the production loses none of its original spice, and the fervor and intensity which characterizes the presentation and the acting of its principals adds to its greatness.

The performance was given under the auspices of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, and the proceeds are to go towards the building fund of the new wing of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. It is felt by those of the club who are responsible for the arrangements whereby the University Players were invited here, that it is only unfortunate that the popular troupe cannot remain longer, for they would be assured of capacity houses on all occasions.

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Effect of Gaiety
on Modern Youth
on Playhouse Film

"Youthful Cheaters" the attraction appearing at the Playhouse this week, will offer the motion picture public a strong and forceful story showing the effect of jazz, wealth and gaiety has upon the modern youth. It is the second release of the Film Guild starring the popular delineator of youthful roles, Glenn Hunter. In fact, it is promised that during their tour to their already well-established reputation as artists of ability, competence and achievement. As such they appeared last night.

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POLICE BOARD
ENDS DEADLOCK

Policewoman Reinstated and
Fined; Olive Branch Ex-
tended to District Police

To settle a deadlock which threatened to hold Miss M. J. Wark, woman police officer, in a state of indefinite suspense as long as the board was constituted at present, Mayor Hayward and Commissioners Dr. Ernest Hall and Capt. A. M. Aitken in special session yesterday afternoon agreed to a compromise. Since they could not agree the board, compromised on a fine of two weeks' pay and the return of the policewoman to duty without further delay. Miss Wark was suspended three weeks ago for insubordination. The final week would be in the category of holiday with pay, held the board.

This decision was reached after Commissioner Aitken had expressed himself in favor of Miss Wark's dismissal. Dr. Ernest Hall was for reinstatement without penalty. The Mayor could not agree with either course and effected the compromise.

The board settled the matter after giving attention to a delegation composed of thirteen members from the Local Council of Women, headed by Mrs. C. de V. Schofield. Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Frank Andrew and Mrs. A. E. Mitchell spoke briefly, urging that the board consider the valuable preventative work of such an officer rather than the individual. The time would come, they warned, when not one but many policewomen would be found necessary. A clearer definition of Miss Wark's duties would settle the trouble, urged the delegation in closing.

It was then the board voted the compromise motion to settle the question. The board accepted the resignation of Constable Thomas Palmer, and appointed George R. Ritch in his place. Mr. Ritch is a former member of the force who left to serve with the colors overseas and was delayed by the death of relatives in England at the close of the war. His return to the force was effected at the first vacancy.

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WORK OUT PLAN
FOR CO-OPERATION
BETWEEN CLUBS

Representative of Honolulu
Automobile Club Arrives

To improve the relations between the Honolulu Automobile Club, which has a membership of 1,600 on the island of Oahu, and the automobile clubs of the mainland, Le Roy Blessing arrived yesterday on the liner Niagara. He called to see R. R. Webb, secretary of the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club of B.C. to discuss the situation in its relation to British Columbia motorists who may be visiting the Hawaiian Islands.

The popularity of motoring on the island has been enhanced by the construction of a road ninety miles long round the island. As there are about 20,000 cars and trucks registered at the territorial headquarters, and those are apart from the officers cars attached to the military and naval garrisons, the situation is that it has ample opportunity to expand the motor organization movement at home, as well as to link with the clubs on the Pacific seaboard. It already has close affiliation with the Automobile Club of Southern California, and with the motoring interests around San Francisco Bay.

There are two things in which the club prides itself particularly, said Mr. Blessing, one is its system of "boy cops," the other the establishment of a zoning commission, which assists the city government in parking regulations, planning the development of the city and similar matters. "Boy cops," he explained as selected boys from the schools who are trained in street regulation work, and the breaking up of gangs of boys who may become a nuisance to the community.

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12TH SIEGE BATTERY

The battery will parade at Macaulay fort on Monday, June 2, at 7 p.m., and parades will take place each evening at the same time for period June 2 to June 12, inclusive, with the exception of Saturday and Sunday, June 7 and 8, unless otherwise ordered.

Dinner will be served each evening at 5 to 6.30 o'clock, and breakfast by camp arrangement to suit the times of returning to the city in time for business.

The battery will fire 8-inch shells about June 10 and 11.

The battery has vacancies for three

or four suitable young men, as signallers or gunners. Those who may desire to join the battery at camp should present themselves not later than Monday evening, June 2, at Fort Macaulay before 7 o'clock, and ask to see the O.C., 12th Siege Battery.

G. G. AITKEN, Major,
O.C. 12th Siege Battery, C.A.



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VICTORIA SCOUTS
TO TOUR ISLAND

Picked Patrol Will Distribute
Fire Prevention Pamphlets
to Campers

Commencing on July 9 a picked patrol of Victoria Scouts will undertake a 300-mile bicycle tour of the island in fourteen days. As stops will be made at Island Scout centres for demonstrations and a friendly interchange of ideas, the cyclists will have to average 21.42 miles per day to keep up to schedule.

H. T. Havenhill, President of the Local Scout Council and Assistant District Commissioner, will lead the patrol, which will consist of eight picked boys representative of Victoria troops.

The object of the tour is two-fold. The picked patrol will be versed in the art of scouting methods and training. The tour will put Victoria and District Scouts in close touch with up-land troops and packs, and from this will spring a close co-operation in the movement on the island.

As soon as word of the tour went out from Provincial Scout Headquarters, letters began to pour in from all up-land centres, warmly enthusiastic of the plan. Up-land scouts in turn, will come in considerable numbers to be guests of the Victoria boys during the visit of the British Special Service Squadron.

The itinerary mapped out for the cyclists includes the Hill, Duncan, Ladysmith, Nanaimo, Parksville, Qualicum Beach, Courtenay, Cumberland, Alberni, Port Alberni, Cassidy, Chetwynd, Courtenay, and all places where a scout unit is organized.

Scouts will take with them a number of pamphlets prepared by the Provincial Forest Branch on forest fire prevention and care in the woods. These will be distributed to auto and other camping parties found by the way on the route. The patrol will also keep a look out for forest fires and will report all they see to the nearest fire ranger.

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Y.W.C.A. Summer Camp is Attractive Holiday Centre

"Cedarcliffe," the Summer camp of the Y.W.C.A. at Shawnigan Lake, was formally opened to-day in readiness for the Summer season, which the promoters tell confident will be a busy one. The camp is ideally situated with excellent bathing and boating facilities, and many charming walks in the vicinity. The management and cuisine are in capable hands, and every provision will be



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ORTHOPAEDIC FUND GROWING LARGER

Women's Institutes Encouraged in Their Work For Crippled Children

An encouraging report of the progress made towards the goal of an orthopaedic hospital for crippled children in British Columbia has been prepared by the secretary-treasurer of the Women's Institute fund for this purpose.

Mrs. H. L. Bayley in this resume says in part: "Our annual report of the Crippled Children's Fund read in February last the total receipts recorded for the ten months were \$1,393.92, \$1,016.50 from the Women's Institutes, and \$287.42 from outside sources, the cash in the bank being \$404.15 and in hand \$617, twenty cases had been treated which necessitated fourteen operations, twelve at the hands of Dr. McTavish and one each by Dr. Cunningham and Dr. Robertson.

Since that report was issued, we have received six new cases, one of spastic paralysis, one tubercular case, a painful amputation case, one infantile paralysis, and two cases of bone disease.

We have six cases now in hospital and six attending the doctor's office for massage and exercise and for the careful and necessary supervision these cases demand."

BUILDING FUND

Her report went on to state that with the timely gift received from the sale of the gramophone records made by the King and Queen, the committee had been able to increase the nucleus of the hospital building fund from \$500 to \$1,000.

After pointing out the splendid progress made by the Seattle Orthopaedic Hospital, which in fifteen years had grown from one bed in the ward of a hospital to a fully-equipped institution of 128 beds with number of patients treated to date reaching 4,740, Mrs. Bayley quoted from the Provincial Board of Health report to show the need of such an undertaking in this Province.

This report set forth that forty school children were suffering from orthopaedic trouble, flat feet, curvature of the spine or similar defect, while the number of cases in children under school age is unknown, as no records are available.

Mrs. Bayley's report concluded with an appeal for support of this commendable effort in the interests of suffering children.

Royal Review, W.B.A.—The regular meeting of Royal Review, No. 18, W.B.A. was held at 1230 Government Street on Tuesday evening. A large number of members of Queen Alexandra Review, carried out the initiation ceremony, three candidates receiving the degree of fraternity. A practice was also held for the flower fund march, which is to be put on by members of the Victoria Reviews in Nanaimo on June 2. Plans were made for holding a social on June 10, Mrs. Stephen to be convener. Plans made, by the Commander Mrs. Stephen on behalf of Royal Review, to Mrs. Richards, nee Jean McCully, and Mrs. McIntyre for her daughter Mrs. Harris, nee Sarah McIntyre who has made her home in Salt Lake City. Both ladies suitably received and the best wishes of all Macabees go out to these brides.

Miss Marjorie Rowlands of the nursing staff of St. Joseph's Hospital is on holiday at Kamloops, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rowlands.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watson, who have been holidaying in Victoria for the past month, have now returned to their home at Pincher Creek, Alberta.

Mrs. Raymond of Stanley Avenue entertained yesterday afternoon with two tables of bridge and one of mah jong, while at the tea hour additional guests were present.

Captain Jas. Griffiths of Seattle, accompanied by Mrs. Griffiths and Miss Lillian Russell of Vancouver, have been on a trip in their motor yacht to Stewart, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McIntosh of Elk Lake are receiving congratulations on the arrival of an infant daughter on May 27 at the nursing home of the Misses McEwan, Bannard Street.

Rev. Mrs. Power of Seattle and her daughter are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Phillips, 945 Fairfield Road, over the week-end. Mrs. Power will preach at the Church of Revelation to-morrow.

Mrs. H. B. Jackson arrived in the city from Vancouver this afternoon and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs, Hampshire Road, for a few days before leaving for Lake Windermere.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson of Bournemouth, England, arrived in Victoria on Thursday afternoon on a visit to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson, 252 George Road. They will spend the Summer months in Victoria.

Rev. G. H. Reynolds of the Kerrisdale Baptist Church, Vancouver, is taking the pulpit of the Emmanuel Baptist Church on Sunday, and will preach at both services. While in this city he is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parfitt, Fernwood Road.

Mrs. E. W. Graham-Gardiner, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. St. L. K. Verley for the past year, leaves on Monday for Calgary to spend the Summer with her daughters, Mrs. James Hutton and Mrs. Geo. Hope-Johnston.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Mrs. Nichol and their daughter, Miss Marquitta Nichol, will arrive in Victoria on Sunday, according to a telegraphic message received yesterday by his secretary, Mr. H. J. S. Muskett.

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BEAUTIFUL CHILDREN OF VICTORIA; NO. 2



Gloria Wilson, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson of the Uplands, is one of Victoria's bonny children. She is shown above as "Cherry Ripe" in which she appeared in the Festival of Art arranged by the Gonzales Chapter I.O.O.F. Little Miss Wilson is at present with her mother in England.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rochford after a visit in Victoria have returned to Stewart.

Miss F. Elmer of North Kamloops has arrived in the city and will enter St. Joseph's Hospital for training.

Mr. Percy Shepherd who is attending the University of Washington, Seattle, is spending the week-end in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Postlethwaites have arrived in the city from the East, and will be guests at the Oak Bay Hotel for a month.

City Engineer F. M. Preston, accompanied by Mrs. Preston, left to-day for a two weeks motor trip in the United States.

Mr. Beaven Allen of Burdett Avenue left on Wednesday for the Kootenay district where he will be resident for the next six months.

Mrs. R. M. Foster of Vancouver, accompanied by her little daughter, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cameron, 2024 Belmont Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Emmert of Los Angeles who have been guests in Victoria for the past few weeks left yesterday by motor for a trip up the Island.

Miss Marjorie Rowlands of the nursing staff of St. Joseph's Hospital is on holiday at Kamloops, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rowlands.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watson, who have been holidaying in Victoria for the past month, have now returned to their home at Pincher Creek, Alberta.

Mrs. Raymond of Stanley Avenue entertained yesterday afternoon with two tables of bridge and one of mah jong, while at the tea hour additional guests were present.

Captain Jas. Griffiths of Seattle, accompanied by Mrs. Griffiths and Miss Lillian Russell of Vancouver, have been on a trip in their motor yacht to Stewart, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McIntosh of Elk Lake are receiving congratulations on the arrival of an infant daughter on May 27 at the nursing home of the Misses McEwan, Bannard Street.

Rev. Mrs. Power of Seattle and her daughter are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Phillips, 945 Fairfield Road, over the week-end. Mrs. Power will preach at the Church of Revelation to-morrow.

Mrs. H. B. Jackson arrived in the city from Vancouver this afternoon and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs, Hampshire Road, for a few days before leaving for Lake Windermere.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson of Bournemouth, England, arrived in Victoria on Thursday afternoon on a visit to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson, 252 George Road. They will spend the Summer months in Victoria.

Rev. G. H. Reynolds of the Kerrisdale Baptist Church, Vancouver, is taking the pulpit of the Emmanuel Baptist Church on Sunday, and will preach at both services. While in this city he is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parfitt, Fernwood Road.

Mrs. E. W. Graham-Gardiner, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. St. L. K. Verley for the past year, leaves on Monday for Calgary to spend the Summer with her daughters, Mrs. James Hutton and Mrs. Geo. Hope-Johnston.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Mrs. Nichol and their daughter, Miss Marquitta Nichol, will arrive in Victoria on Sunday, according to a telegraphic message received yesterday by his secretary, Mr. H. J. S. Muskett.

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MRS. GRAVES ONLY WOMAN CANDIDATE

Labor Party's Nominee Well-Known as Public Spirited Citizen

Although women have been for some years admitted to the full status of citizenship and have loomed large on the political horizon whenever issues have arisen which might be affected by that comparatively unknown quantity—the women's vote—recent events have shown that there is still a wide gap between the status of women as voters and the status of women as prospective political candidates.

Four nominating conventions have been held in Victoria and in none of them there was either no woman candidate proposed or else the women failed to come through the mill of the political machine. It remained for the Labor Party to nominate the only woman candidate who will come before the voters in the Provincial

campaign. It is interesting, too, to note that the woman Labor candidate received practically the unanimous support of the conventions.

In choosing Mrs. H. E. Graves as one of the candidates the Labor Party selected a woman who has been before the public on a previous occasion. She pioneered a couple of years ago as a candidate in the municipal elections. At that time Mrs. Graves was defeated by a narrow margin.

For many years she has been an invaluable member of the Local Council of Women serving on its executive as first vice-president and bringing to its deliberations much common sense and business acumen.

For many years a staunch advocate of supervised playgrounds for children Mrs. Graves during the campaign inaugurated by the Oak Bay City Council for the best plan of a park-playground, submitted an excellent and original scheme, the plans of which, drawn true to scale, were entirely her own handiwork.

Another service which Mrs. Graves has given gratuitously to the public is that of secretary to the Victoria Library Board, an honorary position which she has held for some years. She is a close student of economics, her long training and experience as a teacher forming a foundation upon which she has built up a sound superstructure of keen judgment and sound vision.

Among those going to Nanaimo to attend the V. E. F. A. Macabees, annual rally on June 2 and take part in the flower fund, March are Messrs. Bloor, Sr., Bloor, Jr., A. Ball, Hayless, Garret, Gardiner, Bland, Harrison, Herring, Hoey, Hepburn, Hunt, Jeeves, Laine, Law, Keating, McIntyre, Pritchard, Rogers, Smythe, Stephen, Schmeitz, Tompsett, Trowsdale and Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Miss Hunter-Weston, who were visitors to Victoria two years ago, were so charmed with the vicinity that they have returned on the Niagara for another visit. They are staying at the Mount Edwards Hotel. Mr. Hunter-Weston has already derived great benefit from his trip and hopes that the climate here will completely restore him to health.

Mrs. Lammpan of Tre Uplands entertained at the Oak Bay Golf Club yesterday at luncheon in honor of Lady Cameron of Vancouver and afterwards at bridge and mah jong at her home in Tre Uplands. Among the guests present at the luncheon were Mrs. Lammpan, Mrs. Homer Dixon, Lady Cameron, Mrs. J. W. Troup, Mrs. R. P. Butler, Mrs. Ponton, Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. J. A. Sutherland, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mrs. H. A. Ross, Mrs. H. Wilson and Mrs. C. C. Bennett.

Mrs. Meakin and Mrs. Mitchell, who were members of the Nanaimo team of lady golfers in a match with Colwood ladies team on Thursday and Friday, returned to Nanaimo yesterday. On Thursday evening Mrs. P. C. Abell entertained the local and visiting teams at bridge and mah jong at her home in Esquimalt when the guests included Mrs. Meakin, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Glaholm, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Leighton, Mrs. Lewis of Nanaimo, and Mrs. V. Godfrey, Mrs. R. L. Pocock, Mrs. E. E. Burnes, Mrs. Allen and Miss Richards of Colwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Willis entertained a number of young people at a dance at their home, 1521 Port Street, last evening in honor of their son Phil. Roses and clematis were used with delightful effect in the drawing-room and hall, while mauve and pink blossoms adorned the dining-room. Among the guests were the Misses Frances Stewart, Helen Sutherland, Gwen Winby, Mary Ross, Elaine and Mickey Gailher, Dorothy Greenwood, Dilly Bennett, Enid Clark, Jo Brandon, Helen Hayward, Margaret Fletcher, Dorothy and Nancy Ross, Margaret Adam, Peggy Gourlay, Billie Schofield, Gwen Watkins, Betty Kerchmy, Lillian Hall and Messrs. Tom Watkins, Owen Newton, Blair Dickson, Ted Moore, Dick Moore, Angus McLean, Hugh Beck, Herbert Warren, Chris Smurthwaite, Godwin Brandon, Tom Wilson, Eric Hicks, pink tulle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Balcom of Wellington Street, was hostess to the many friends of Miss Edna Grant at a linen shower held yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. Sears presided over the tea table, which was artistically decorated with pink and white sweet peas, mauve hair fern and mauve and pink silk net ornaments, and Misses Roberts, Balcom and Florence Wilkerson assisted at the tea-hour. The gifts were arranged in dainty pink rose baskets, and were drawn into the reception-room by a "Sonny" Burton, and presented to the happy recipient. During the afternoon Miss Roberta Balcom rendered two pianoforte selections which were greatly enjoyed and appreciated, and Miss Lillian Watson sang with feeling and sweetness. The following were amongst those present: Mrs. D. B. Nickerson, Mrs. G. E. Wilkerson, Mrs. T. Wilkinson, Mrs. A. S. Denny, Mrs. F. Burton, Mrs. J. Sears, Mrs. A. Knight, Mrs. F. R. Pollock, Mrs. J. F. Grant, Mrs. R. Speck, Mrs. J. Reid Clark, Mrs. W. D. Kennedy, Misses Dorothy Riddell, Della Fair, Roberta Balcom, E. Featherstone, Evelyn Hammond, Florence Wilkerson, Jessie Grant, Lillian Watson and Miss Edna Grant, guests of honor.

Mrs. Harry Briggs entertained yesterday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Dorothy Stuart Robertson. At the tea hour Mrs. Briggs was assisted by Mrs. G. B. Williams and Mrs. A. de Mellin who presided at the tea table, daintily with its floral decoration of wild roses. Miss Margaret Scott, Miss Ruth McBride and Miss Mary Rattenbury assisted in serving. Among those present were Miss Dorothy Stuart Robertson, the Misses Peggy and Ruth McBride, Norma and Helen Macdonald, Tina Mowbray, Margaret Scott, Mary Rattenbury, Gladys Irving, Leslie Gailher, Iris Burton, Gertrude Muir, Catharine Fraser, Jane and Freda Waters, Nellie and Jennie Turner, Betty Gray, Alice Nash, Edna Hummer, Peggy Scott, Dinky Cox, Marjorie Oates, Gwen McPhillips, Barbara Monteth, Mabel and Ethel Rhodes, Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mrs. Andrew de Mellin, Mrs. Roy Troup, Mrs. W. Campbell Brown, Mrs. Ray Castle, Mrs. G. Boulton, Mrs. Carvoso, Mrs. Vibert, Mrs. J. E. W. Oland, Mrs. Torquhill Burns and Mrs. Seale. The many handsome gifts were presented to Miss Robertson in a large blue box tied with



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TO DISCUSS SOCIAL SERVICE PROBLEMS

Great International Conference at Toronto Next Month

In the city of Toronto from June 15 to July 2 will be held what promises to be a most wonderful gathering, the fifty-first annual meeting of the National Conference of Social Work. Not since 1897 has this meeting been held in a Canadian city, and not for another quarter of a century can Canada hope to have it again. How general the interest in it is may be judged by the fact that from Los Angeles to Edmonton, from New York to Victoria, B.C., enquiries have been received by the Toronto committee concerning transportation accommodation, programmes, etc.

At the King Edward Hotel, the headquarters, all of the 500 rooms assigned to the conference have been taken up, and no single room is left in any of the Toronto hotels, though there is still accommodation to be had in university residences and dormitories. The committee with the hearty co-operation of Dominion, Provincial and municipal authorities, is sparing no effort to assure the comfort and convenience of all delegates. The fine library of the University of Toronto will be headquarters for registration, exhibits, etc., and some of the splendid colleges and city churches will be the meeting places of the various groups. The programme is very full and interesting, outstanding speakers and social service workers from Canadian, American and European cities will give addresses and conduct discussions on Immigration, Child Welfare, Rural Conditions, Public Health, Feeble-mindedness, Delinquency, Industrial Conditions and many other problems confronting workers in rural districts, towns and cities.

It is hoped that many Canadian delegates will be in attendance, and consideration will be given to questions in which Canadians are deeply interested, and there will be special sessions in which Canadians will consider Canadian social needs. In view of the growth of the Dominion and the increasing complexity of her social problems, the organization has been raised as to whether or Canada should not have a similar conference of her own, and Canadian delegates should be present to discuss and decide this matter.

The Social Service League of Victoria will be represented there, and should any other local organization consider sending a delegate or should any citizen interested in such work, who may be going East about the time of the conference meeting, be so attuned, full information regarding the conference may be obtained from Miss Snyder, general secretary of the Social Service League, Arcade Building, Victoria.

HAPPY CROWD AT DANCEMEN'S DANCE

I.B.A.A. Scored Success With Attractive Affair Last Night

The I.B.A.A. added to their reputation as successful hosts last night when their dance at the Empress Hotel attracted nearly 300 guests, and proved one of the most popular affairs of the season.

The dance was under the patronage of Brig.-General and Mrs. R. P. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron, all of whom were present at the affair. An appropriate scheme of decoration in the ballroom included floral decorations of crossed oars and streamers of blue and white, the club colors. Hitt's orchestra, which was under the direction of the hotel manager, played a spirited programme, the dancers showing their appreciation by frequent demands for encores. During the evening refreshments were served in the palm-court under the direction of the hotel manager.

Many congratulations were extended to the committee responsible for the arrangements, its personnel including Messrs. O. C. Walls, Ben McMillen, R. Travis, H. Hocking, E. Fisher and A. MacLaughlin.

Longer Wedding Hours in Britain

London, May 31.—The fact that even a professional humorist cannot see the funny side of things in mid-afternoon may lead to revision of the present law, requiring all marriages in England to be held between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. Called on to be hilarious at that time of day, A. P. Herbert, staff writer for "Punch," has launched a movement looking toward brighter wedding ceremonies.

A bill proposing extension of the legal marriage hours to 6 or even 7 p.m. already has been drafted. "In Denmark and other civilized countries," Herbert told an interviewer, "they have weddings at a reasonable hour in the evening, when dinner and dancing are possible. But what can you do at half-past three in the afternoon?"

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FAIRY SOAP

Building Houses Its Final Graduation Class



Since the erection of the Provincial Jubilee Hospital building shown in the above picture many nurses have passed through its doors after receiving their training in its efficient school. But next week will see the graduation of its final class, for next year's graduates will pursue their studies in the new building. Commencement week will be observed at the Hospital from June 1 to June 7. The graduates will include Olga Geraldine Garrow, Portage-la-Prairie, Man., Phoebe Antonette McCrea, Saskatoon, Sask., Mary Edith Purdy, Victoria, Anne Clothier, Prince Rupert, B.C., Agnes Constance Kingham, Victoria, Grace Marie Curran, Fanny Bay, B.C., Mildred Helen Edwards, Vancouver, B.C., Hilda Murray, Victoria, Doris Alice Coulter, Victoria, Jean McDonald, Torrence, Victoria, Florence Dunnett, Victoria, Mabel Olive Head, Victoria, Dorothy Alice Byrnes, Victoria, Victoria, Marion Miller, Victoria, Gladys Marjorie Ridley, Victoria, Rose Mary Smith, Victoria, Zetta Irene Potter, Seattle, Wash., Annie Osborne Jones, Victoria, and the following post graduates: A. L. Buckley, Shanghai, China, R. V. Collins, Fenhold, Alta., and Doris E. M. Elton, Cowley, Alta. The week's programme will commence to-morrow at 11 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church when the Rev. W. G. Wilson will preach the dedicatory sermon. The programme for the remainder of the week follows: Monday evening, Beach Party given by the members of the Intermediate Class; Tuesday evening, Theatrical Party and Supper given by friends of the graduating class; Wednesday, Afternoon Tea given by the members of the Preparatory Class; Thursday evening, Entertainment by the Rotary Club; Friday, 8:15 p.m., Graduation, Empress Hotel; Saturday, Picnic given by the Jubilee Alumni. Last night the graduates were the guests of the Kiwanis Club at the opening performance in the annual of the Jubilee Training School, the class is publishing an interesting and handsome year book. To mark this commencement week, which is destined to become historic in the annals of the Jubilee Training School, the class is publishing an interesting and handsome year book.

Will stand against the indifference of Time. Bear witness in the fuller usefulness. Earned by the long probation—testing out. Merit—and courage—and the will to serve. Will blossom in the vision of the Spring. The flowering time—planted by loving hands. For shade and sweetness when, with life restored. Frail mortals turn to welcome day once more. And, in the healing balm of Summer air May watch the little rills of kamas run With golden butterflies among the grass. Hears the lark's hum, and happy children play. Glory to God! they cry, for health restored. Glory to God! re-echoes from the walls. For human tenderness and human care. For consecrated lives, and duty done. "Glory to God!" we say for grace to help: For those divine impulses which inspire From age to age the hearts of men to build Kind sanctuaries—and for that Master-word Which marks them—e'en when ruined As immortal monuments to Love. And when the quiet evening falls, and Draw for a moment from the infinite Bringing our restless hearts within their peace: A cadence like the trembling of a Steals through that twilight; these remember yet. The ministrations of the last lone way. And out of life made perfect—sing with us "For all earth's pity—Glory be to God."

EDITOR OF YEAR BOOK

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Miss Anna Clothier, President of the 1924 Graduating Class of the Provincial Jubilee Hospital is also editor of the new Year Book, published by the Class. Miss Clothier was educated at Kempsville, Ontario, and holds a second class teachers' certificate in addition to a certificate for a course in massage from the Toronto Orthopaedic Hospital. The Year Book is a handsome brochure and reflects considerable credit upon Miss Clothier and all who were associated with her in its production.

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BASEBALL BOXING SPORTING NEWS BASKETBALL, GOLF

New York Giants
And Tigers Won
Double-headersBabe Ruth Hit 250th Homer
of His Career in Game
With Philadelphia

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh, May 31.—The Pirates defeated St. Louis yesterday in both the morning and afternoon games, the scores being 4 to 0 and 2 to 2. The second game went 15 innings. Cooper was in good form in the first game and the second was a duel between Meadows and Kremer for Pittsburgh and Bell for the visitors.

Second game—R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 2 5 3
Pittsburgh..... 2 2 2
Batteries—Bell and Gonzales; Meadows, Kremer and Gooch.

WON BOTH

Chicago, May 30.—More than 40,000 persons yesterday saw Cincinnati take both games of the double header from Chicago, 9 to 2 and 4 to 2.

Second game—R. H. E.
Cincinnati..... 4 9 8
Chicago..... 2 5 6
Batteries—May and Sandberg; Wheeler, Blake, Pearce and O'Farrell.

GIANTS TAKE TWO

Philadelphia, May 31.—New York took both games of a double header with Philadelphia yesterday, winning the first 11 to 6 and the second 6 to 5. The opening game was a slugfest with five homers and three doubles being made while the Giants bunched hits in the fifth to put up six tallies that decided the game. In the second game the home team started with a four-run lead and then after the Giants had tied the score the locals again took the lead but were unable to retain their advantage.

Second game—R. H. E.
New York..... 6 12 2
Philadelphia..... 5 3 0
Batteries—Oeschger, Jonnard, Dean and Gowdy; Snyder, Alnamith, Mitchell, Couch, Hubbell, Carlson and J. Wilson.

TWO WINS

Brooklyn, May 31.—Brooklyn won both games of the double header yesterday, the first by 6 to 5, in 12 innings, and the second 5 to 1. Boston gained a lead of five runs in the second inning of the first game on four hits and three errors but Brooklyn tied it by batting rallies off Cooney in the sixth and ninth.

Second game—R. H. E.
Boston..... 5 10 0
Brooklyn..... 1 5 2
Batteries—Yargin, Bachelder, Incas and E. Smith; Osborne and Deberry.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis, May 31.—The local pitchers were off form yesterday and the Browns lost to the Chicago White Sox, 4 to 1, after taking the first game 5 to 2. Ken Williams of the Browns hit his seventh and eighth homers.

Second game—R. H. E.
Chicago..... 11 15 2
St. Louis..... 4 10 3
Batteries—Thurston and Crouse; Wingard, Pruett, Kolp and Severid.

SPLIT DOUBLE HEADER

Boston, May 31.—Boston kept pace with the Yankees for the league leadership by winning the first game of a double header, 9 to 4, and losing the second to Washington here yesterday. The score in the first game was 10 to 5. Boone made a homer with the bases full in the first game.

Second game—R. H. E.
Washington..... 15 15 2
Boston..... 5 9 2
Batteries—Johnson, Marberry and Rael; Fehr, Howe, Ehmke, Fullerton and Picinich.

TIGERS IN FORM

Cleveland, May 31.—Detroit took both games from Cleveland yesterday 11 to 7, and 2 to 0.

Second game—R. H. E.
Cleveland..... 7 6 0
Detroit..... 0 2 0
Batteries—Cole and Wood—Metzler and Walters.

BROKE EVEN

New York, May 31.—The New York world's champions divided a holiday double header with Philadelphia here yesterday. New York won the first, 6 to 0, and Philadelphia took the second, 5 to 0, it being their first victory over New York this season.

Ruth hit his 250th homer of his career in the first game. The Athletics won the second with a four-run rally in the eighth inning, Miller hitting a homer with two on.

Second game—R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 4 11 2
New York..... 5 9 2
Batteries—Rommel, Baumgartner and Perkins; Bruggs, Jones and Hoffman.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Baltimore 3-5, Reading 9-4.
Syracuse 5-3, Buffalo 3-11.
Newark 10-8, Jersey City 1-8.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul 5-2, Minneapolis 4-1.
Toledo 2-4, Columbus 5-5.
Louisville 3-9, Indianapolis 4-5.
Milwaukee 9-3, Kansas City 8-0.

QUEBEC, ONTARIO AND VERMONT LEAGUE

Montreal Canadian 5, Montreal Royals 1.
Rutland 2, Quebec 9.
Ottawa-Hull 2, Montpelier 3.

COAST LEAGUE

At San Francisco, R. H. E.
First game..... 12 2 1
Sacramento..... 5 12 3
San Francisco..... 5 12 3

Thompson..... Koehler, Geary, Burger and Agnew.
Second game—R. H. E.
Sacramento..... 1 0 0
San Francisco..... 4 12 0
Batteries—Frough and Schang; Mitchell and Yelle.

At Los Angeles, R. H. E.
First game..... 3 3 4
Salt Lake..... 7 13 1
Los Angeles..... 7 13 1

Batteries—Strout, Thomas, Hulvey and Cook; Cranall and Byler.
Second game—R. H. E.
Salt Lake..... 6 10 1
Los Angeles..... 4 9 2
Batteries—Singleton and Peters.

OLD COUNTRY CRICKET

London, May 31.—In the county cricket matches concluded Friday, Middlesex defeated Yorkshire by an innings and 162 runs.

Glamorgan defeated Leicestershire by an innings and 121 runs.

Essex defeated Nottingham in the first innings.

Gloucestershire defeated Surrey in the first innings.

Lancashire defeated Kent in the first innings.

Somerset defeated Cambridge University by 117 runs.

A match between the touring South Africans and Scotland was drawn.

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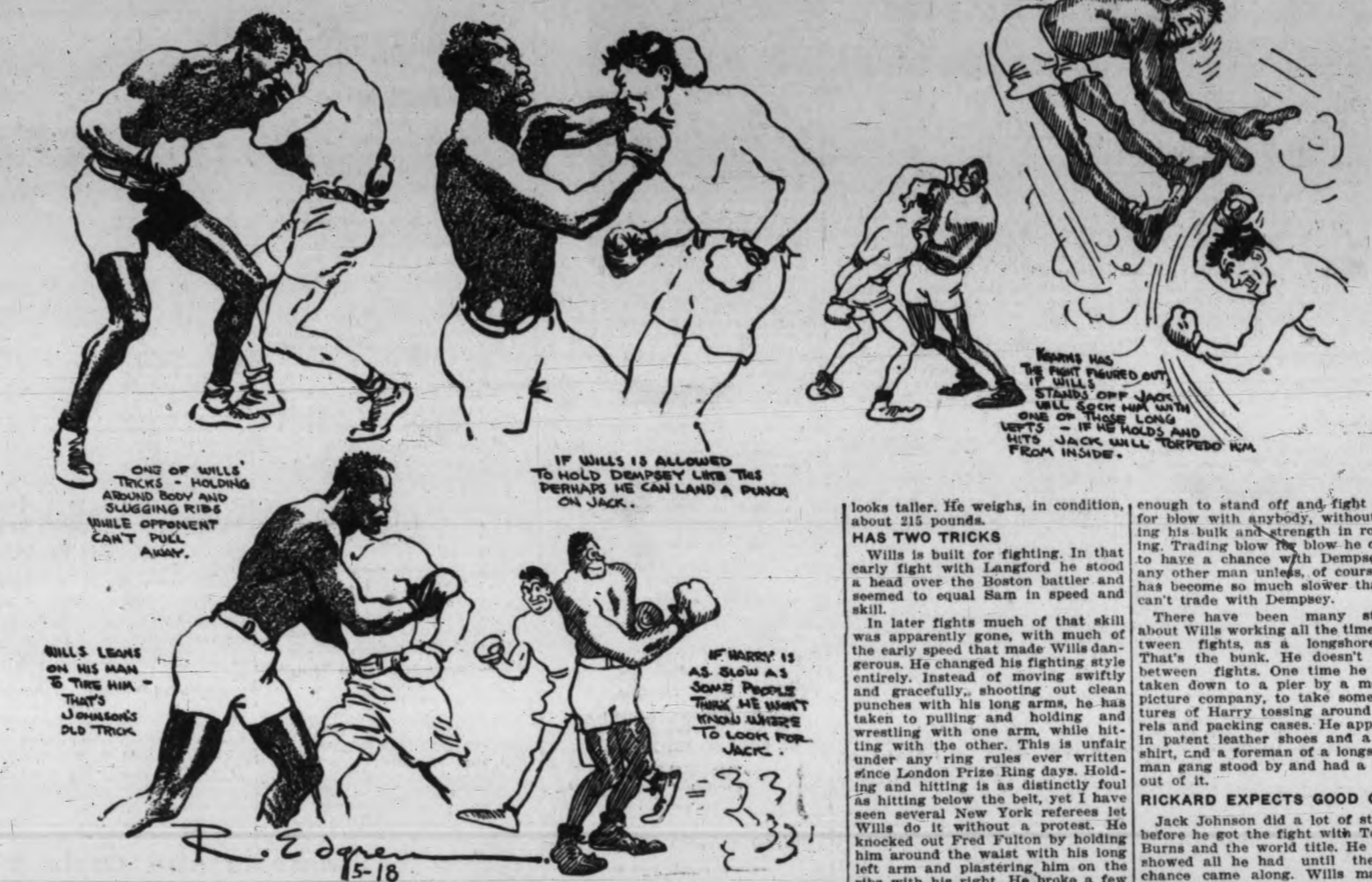
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Dempsey Is Favored to Defeat Harry Wills With Ease in Their Coming Bout



ONE OF WILLS' TRICKS - HOLDING AROUND BODY AND SLIDING IN TO PUNCH. WHILE OPPONENT CAN'T PULL AWAY.

WILLS LEANS ON HIS HAM - THIS IS THE TRICK THAT JOHNSON DID THINK.

IF WILLS IS ALLOWED TO HOLD DEMPSEY LIKE THIS PERHAPS HE CAN LAND A PUNCH ON JACK.

IF WILLS IS AS SLOW AS SOME PEOPLE THINK HE WON'T BE ABLE TO LOOK FOR JACK.

looks taller. He weighs, in condition, about 215 pounds.

HAS TWO TRICKS

Wills is built for fighting. In that early fight with Langford he stood a head over the Boston battler and seemed to equal Sam in speed and skill.

In later fights much of that skill was apparently gone, with much of the early speed that made Wills dangerous. He changed his fighting style entirely. Instead of moving swiftly and gracefully, shooting out clean punches with his long arms, he has taken to pulling and holding and wrestling with one arm, while hitting with the other. This is unfair under any ring rules ever written since London Prize Ring days. Holding and hitting is as distinctly foul as hitting below the belt, yet I have seen several New York referees let Wills do it without a protest. He knocked out Fred Fulton by holding him around the waist with his long left arm and plastering him on the ribs with his right. He broke a few of Fulton's ribs in the process.

There has been some talk to the effect that Wills will have to box without holding and hitting if he is in a championship bout. He might as well be a champion if he could hold the shifting, swaying champion in the crook of one arm while he socked him with the other. But Jack Kearns doesn't seem to worry about that.

"I don't care whether Wills holds and hits or not," said Kearns. "That would be just Dempsey's meat."

Dempsey is stronger than Wills, at that rough inside stuff he'll tear Wills to pieces."

This may be a pleasing theory, but a championship bout should be fought strictly within the rules. If Wills could get Dempsey around the neck and pull him into a knockdown punch, there'd be a riot. Wills is big

enough to stand off and fight blow for blow with anybody, without using his bulk and strength in roughing. Trading blow for blow he ought to have a chance with Dempsey or any other man unless, of course, he has become so much slower that he can't trade with Dempsey.

There have been many stories about Wills working all the time between fights, as a longshoreman. That's the bunk. He doesn't work between fights. One time he was taken down to a pier by a moving picture company, to take some pictures of Harry tossing around barrels and packing cases. He appeared in patent leather shoes and a pink shirt, and a foreman of a longshoreman gang stood by and had a laugh out of it.

RICKARD EXPECTS GOOD GATE

Jack Johnson did a lot of stalling before he fought with Tommy Burns and the world title. He never showed all he had until the big chance came along. Wills may be stalling in the same way.

However that may be, the chances are that Dempsey will give him twenty pounds of weight and a beating. Dempsey takes great care of his condition all the time, never goes out of training, never drinks, never smokes, keeps early hours, and lives to fight and hold the title as long as he can. He is an inch and a half under Wills' height, and will probably weigh 185 pounds. But Dempsey carries his fighting weight where his arms are, his hands, and his forearms are tremendous, his upper arms are not too bulky, and his shoulders are wide. His body is long and legs are light. Dempsey says himself that he gets his hitting power from his forearms and wrists, which are an inch larger than Wills', and certainly no smaller than those of Harry Wills.

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Art Collector Spends Short Time On Visit to City

Edward E. Ayer, the well-known Chicago capitalist whose art collections have made him a national figure, left Victoria to-day for Seattle, after a short visit to the city. Mr. Ayer is a director and past president of the Field Columbian Museum, Chicago, to which he has been a generous contributor.

EVENTS TO COME

Delegates to the Saanich Central Parent-Teacher Association are requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the Y.M.C.A. next Thursday evening, June 5, at 8 o'clock.

Craigflower Parent-Teacher Association will hold its regular monthly meeting in the school Friday evening, June 6, at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will address the meeting.

The regular meeting of the Canadian Daughters' League will be held on Monday evening, June 2, at 8 o'clock, in the Sons of Canada headquarters.

There will be a meeting of the Tuberculosis Veterans' Association on Monday night at 8 o'clock in their clubrooms, P. R. Brown Building. All members are requested to attend as election of officers will take place.

A Bible class is being formed for the special study of "The Acts of the Apostles," and the first meeting will be held by Mr. E. J. Richards to-morrow at 2 p.m. in the Bible Hall, 1112 Cook Street. Special study pamphlets will be distributed at each meeting of the class.

There will be a meeting of the Victoria and District Roller Skating Club and the Victoria Roller Skating Club on Tuesday evening, June 3, at 8 o'clock, in the Y.M.C.A. Building. All persons interested in roller skating are invited to attend.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Chapter I.O.O.F. will take place at the Victoria Club on Monday at 8 p.m. A full attendance is requested to make final preparations for the forthcoming garden party to be held at the residence of Judge and Mrs. J. C. McIntosh, Oak Bay, on Tuesday, June 3.

At the meeting of the Overseas League at the Victoria Bay Store on Monday afternoon, Mr. A. R. Sherwood will speak on "Forestry," and Mr. W. McIntosh will play piano selections of his own composition.

The Graduate Nurses' Association will meet on Tuesday evening at the V.O.N. headquarters to conclude business for the season.

The monthly meeting of Camosun Chapter I.O.O.F. will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Agnew, Rockland Avenue.

The Florence Nightingale Chapter I.O.O.F. will meet on Monday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. F. J. Hall Jr., 3525 Cranmore Road.

The regular meeting of the Central School Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the Girls' Central Auditorium on Tuesday evening, June 3, at 8 o'clock. After routine business there will be a short musical programme followed by a lecture on "Education" by the Rev. Dr. Clem Davies. Contributions of books suitable for a boys' library are asked for. Refreshments will be served, and all interested in the association are cordially invited.

Fined For Burning Brush Near Forest

Nelson, May 31.—Before Judge Plevman at Rossland, Joe Molinaro was fined \$25 for burning brush within half a mile of a forest or woodland without a permit and was fined \$25 and costs.

20,516 Automobiles In Los Angeles

Los Angeles, May 31.—Out of a total of 54,340 injured persons treated at the receiving hospital here during the past eleven months, 20,516 were victims of automobile accidents, according to a report in the hands of the City Council to-day.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The naval smoker as staged by the Naval Veterans' Association of B.C. in the Harmony Hall this week was a success from every point of view, exceeding all expectations of the committee in charge. The question of a welcome to the British Special Service Squadron was dealt with, but it was decided to hold a special meeting in Harmony Hall, Tuesday, June 3, at 8 o'clock, when a strong suggestion put forward at the smoker, will be put as a motion.

June 3, the King's Birthday, being a Dominion Government statutory holiday, the Post Office arrangement on that day will be somewhat restricted as follows: The forenoon letter carrier deliveries only will be made. General delivery and registered mail will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., and postage stamps will be sold during these hours. Money order tickets will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Post Office lobby will be open as on ordinary week days. Street letter box collections will be made as usual, and all mails due to be dispatched will be sent out as on ordinary week days.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by a coroner's jury, sitting inquest on the remains of the late Car Nyl at the Thomson funeral premises this morning. Dr. E. C. Hart presided. The victim of the accident, it was found, walked within a range of some betting at the Bambergham plant of the B.C. Cement Company, and was knocked down. The accident took place when the Chinaman was momentarily alone, fellow workmen having gone away for some material. When they returned the body of the Chinaman was found. Death had come from the force of the blow and contusions to the head.

The fortnightly luncheon of the Kuntuka Club will be held at David Spencer's Limited on Monday at noon. There will be a speaker from the Chamber of Commerce and all members are urged to attend.

Still looking weak and unwell from the results of an extended period in hospital, Lester Baines appeared before James Forman, J.P., in city police court this morning, charged with attempting to commit suicide. The accused was remanded for trial on Monday. Police allege that Baines attempted to do away with himself by slashing cuts across both wrists. The cuts missed the arteries, and after weeks of slow recovery the defendant was brought to court to-day.

TOKIO CELEBRATES WEDDING OF PRINCE REGENT HIROHITO

Tokio, May 31.—The state celebration of the wedding of Prince Regent Hirohito to Princess Nagako Kuni opened here to-night with a state banquet, the most brilliant court function in years. The imperial wedding ceremony was performed last January 25.

The banquet to-night was attended by 350 guests, including princes and princesses of the imperial blood, foreign ambassadors and ministers and their wives, members of the cabinet, Privy Counsellors and the highest officials of the Japanese army and navy.

Tokio is in gala attire for the celebration. The next four days will be crowded with celebratory functions.

Washington Has no Word From Canada On Chinese Outrage

Washington, May 31.—Official word of the Chinese outrage by Chinese bandits against American and British missionaries in China reached the State Department to-day. The Pekin legation is already pressing upon the Central Government the necessity for prompt action to obtain release of the foreigners and punishment of the bandits.

Reports from Canada that Premier King had suggested co-operative action with the United States in behalf of the captured missionaries brought a statement from State Department officials that they had as yet received no word of this proposal.

MONTREAL BANDITS GET \$5,000 PAYROLL

Montreal, May 31.—Holding up the car of the paymaster of the British Empire Steel Corporation here this afternoon while over 100 employees who were waiting for their weekly earnings looked on, two bandits, so far not arrested, snatched the payroll of \$5,000 from the taxi in which it was being conveyed to the company offices in the east end of the city, but were later obliged to discard their booty when heavily pursued by one of the workmen.

Presidency For Assembly to Decide

Paris, May 31.—Whether President Millerand is to go or stay is the question that more than ever hangs among the motley ranks of the new majority on the eve of the assembly of the Chamber of Deputies.

The principal sections of the party have already laid that down as a principle and the national congress of the party to-morrow is expected to ratify it. This condition is held by the Left, who are conducting a strong campaign against the President in their newspapers.

M. Herriot, head of the Radicals and potential Premier, however, refuses to entertain such an idea. Only in the event of M. Millerand seeking to impose conditions on offering him the premiership will he refuse to accept office from the President, it is said.

The presidential question, M. Herriot maintains, must be settled by Parliament, not by party caucuses.

WEST COAST ROAD OF THE NEED

F. R. Carlow Talks of Its Importance to Insular Development

"We must look to the West Coast for our prosperity in the future," said Frank R. Carlow, Liberal candidate for Esquimalt, in speaking at Sooke Hall last evening.

"The plan for developing this area that I have in mind is to have the Sooke Road from its junction with the Island Highway at Colwood classified as the West Coast Highway. Then the Public Works Department should improve the existing road by cutting down Colwood Hill, the hill near Woodruff's and the Seventeen-mile hill, doing away with all the small bridges by putting in cement culverts, and filling and generally to widen as we go along.

"I realize, of course, that this will entail considerable expenditure, and will have to be spread over a number of years until completed. The first thing to be done is to build twenty-four miles of new road from Jordan River to Port Renfrew.

"The building of this road, and the other work I have outlined will necessitate the establishment of a public works yard in Sooke, similar to the one established at Langford, near Woodruff's and the Seventeen-mile hill, doing away with all the small bridges by putting in cement culverts, and filling and generally to widen as we go along.

Mr. Carlow took the occasion to answer the Conservative candidate's criticism of his plan. He said that the western districts, by stating that Sir Richard McBride, with the hope of influencing support for the Pooley in 1912, gave an intimation that a trunk road along the West Coast was under the consideration of the Government, had misled the public.

Mr. Carlow alluded to the great area of valuable land to be opened up by such a road, and the openings for the lumber and fisheries to be exported to the prairies in return for grain shipments.

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CANADIAN PRESS PARTY HEARING PRICE REPORT

Will Leave Northern Terminal Sunday Night For Vancouver and Victoria

Jasper, Alta., May 31.—Delighted with every feature of their stay in Canada's largest national park, members of the Canadian daily newspapers Canadian press party, left Jasper Park Lodge this morning for Prince Rupert. The party were met here by Vancouver and Victoria members of the two chambers of commerce.

In the morning they visited Maligne Canyon, going on the Mount Edith Cavell by motor in the afternoon. In the evening they were entertained at a dance in the new recreation hall.

Cameras have been busy night and day, and will continue to be so during to-day's journey over one leg of the famous Canadian National Railway, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. The train will stop for a few minutes to allow photographers to be taken and this will be done also at other points of special interest.

Prince Rupert on Sunday the party leaves on one of the Canadian National coast steamers for Vancouver, where the two organizations will meet at the hotel for entertainment features are planned.

Lieut.-Governor And Mrs. Nichol Return Home

Vancouver, May 31.—Looking in extremely good health, His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor stepped off the train at Vancouver at about 10 o'clock, after five months, mostly spent in England, France and Egypt. Mrs. Nichol accompanied him on his tour.

This evening they will go to Victoria, where they will take up residence at Government House.

AMENDMENTS ON TROOPS OR STRIKES

To Be Brought Down in House of Commons by Minister of Defence

Ottawa, May 31.—Under amendments to the Militia Act to be brought down in the House of Commons by the Minister of Defence, Hon. E. M. Macdonald, in regard to the calling out of the troops during the course of disturbances, the requisition of troops must be made by the Attorney-General of the province as well as by a judge of a superior court or district court having jurisdiction in the area affected.

As the law stands the requisition for troops is made by a judge of the district.

In regard to the costs incurred, the province will be liable instead of the municipality concerned, as at present.

Following the recent strikes among the Cape Breton steel workers, a Royal Commission recommended Holland, while S. M. Jacob and S. M. Hadi played for India.

MEN SOUGHT BY FIRE DEPARTMENT

Only Physically Perfect and Athletic Types Will be Considered

Cost of Increase This Year Less Than City Receives From Oak Bay

Chief Vernon Stewart, head of the Fire Department, commenced to-day to take applications for the position of firemen, eight recruits being wanted to bring about a saving of the Fire Department's cost of operation. Applicants by the city to go into effect on June 1.

Applicants should be between twenty-one and thirty years of age, not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height, and approximately 150 pounds weight, and in perfect physical condition. The recruits are required to pass a stiff test, including running 100 yards flat in sixteen seconds, climbing a fifty-foot ladder in sixteen seconds, and carrying a vertical ladder seventy-five feet in the air, and to rescue a dummy figure from a second story window.

Chief Stewart explains that only men willing to devote themselves to the service are likely to receive consideration. After a course of training in a highly specialized type of work firemen are expected to supervise the fire-fighting service to the department.

Preparations are now under way to bring the house of the fire department. Some repositioning of personnel will take place until the new men have been trained to their duties.

The cost for a twelve-month year will be in the neighborhood of \$2,000, or an extra appropriation of \$2,000, the sum received for the Oak Bay fire department, and the cost of the city as now rated for fire insurance purposes will more than offset the increase.

MONTH WAS DRIEST IN FIFTY YEARS

May Had Record Absence of Rain and About 314 Hours' Sunshine

May was the driest month on record in Victoria for the past fifty years, according to the report issued from the Gonzales Heights Observatory this morning. Up till this morning the rainfall measured only 0.9 inches or 91 inches below the average and the country is showing every sign of the drought.

As May is the driest on record, so it is interesting to note that May, 1905, was the wettest, with 2.81 inches. The sunniest month of the month, ending last night, was 300 hours 42 minutes and on the assumption that to-day's quota of sunny hours would be 12, this would bring the month's sunshine to about 40 hours above the average.

The mean temperature was 55 degrees, or 2 above the average, with the highest temperature 83 degrees on the 12th and the lowest 27 on the 2d.

SLOAN PLEASED WITH POLITICS ON THE ISLAND

Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, returned to the city this morning after campaigning in most of the Vancouver Island constituencies.

The Minister added that Major R. J. Burde, independent labor candidate, who is receiving the support of the Liberal Party in Alberni, unquestionably would be elected.

Hon. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Secretary, who has been campaigning in the Alberni constituency, in this election, will go north at the beginning of next week to stump the Cariboo constituency.

Premier Oliver is expected back at his desk in Victoria Monday. He will leave again shortly for the mainland after delivering a few speeches on Island.

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M.P. for Victoria, left Ottawa last night to assist in the Conservative campaign in British Columbia.

Campbell River Telephone Line to Open Shortly

The extension of the British Columbia Telephone Company's service northward from Courtenay to Campbell River is now only a matter of two weeks, as the installation will be completed by June 15. In order that subscribers may obtain the proper results from the extension, efforts are being made to get the individual subscribers around Campbell River to improve their connections to the local exchange, so that trunk service can be given effectively.

Davis Cup Tennis Games Played To-day

Dublin, May 31.—Jean, Emile Coultess of the French Davis Cup team, to-day defeated Dr. M. McCreary of the Irish team in the first match of the encounter between the two nations in the second round of play for the tennis trophy. The score was 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

HOLLAND WINS
Amsterdam, Holland, May 31.—Holland defeated India to-day in the doubles match of Davis Cup play in the second European round, 6-4, 4-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4. H. Timmer and J. Royal, Leiden, represented Holland, while S. M. Jacob and S. M. Hadi played for India.

OPPORTUNITY FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA AT IMPERIAL SHOW

Special Inducements Offered Fruit Exhibitors at Birmingham Fair

By HARRY P. HODGES

Fruitgrowers of British Columbia will be especially interested to learn that arrangements have been made in connection with the Imperial Fruit Show to be held at Bingley Hall, Birmingham from October 24 to November 1 next, which will greatly increase the attractiveness of the Show, by offering special inducements for exhibition as between exhibitors from within the Province itself.

As in the past, there will be a British Empire section with two classes, dessert and cooking, open for competition between England and Canada, for which five prizes are offered in each class: 1st, gold medal and £20 cash; 2nd, silver medal and £10 cash; 3rd, bronze medal and £5 cash; 4th, £3 cash; and 5th, £2 cash. There will also be, as before, an Overseas section of sixteen named variety classes, open to the whole of Canada, and with gold, silver and bronze medals as first, second and third prizes in each class.

The innovation consists of the formation of three additional sections, No. 1, for British Columbia; No. 2, for Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick; and No. 3, for Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Pippin and Wagner.

Separate exhibits for the Overseas and British Columbia Sections will not be required, nor will additional prizes of £5, £3 and £2, will be offered. The British Columbia Section will be opened to British Columbia exhibitors alone, and the Overseas section for exhibitors from the other fruit-growing provinces, and stand the same chance as before of winning medal prizes in this competition. In addition British Columbia exhibitors for the seven varieties named will also be judged.

The splendid opportunity is, therefore, offered to British Columbia of capturing a fair share of fifty-one gold, silver and bronze medals from Eastern fruit-growers, and also, of securing twenty-one cash prizes, restricted to British Columbia exhibitors alone, provided only that, at least, five entries are made in each of the classes of the British Columbia section.

Last year, the Pacific Province scored a remarkable triumph, carrying away the premier honor in the show, a gold medal and £20 cash in the British Empire section, and a silver medal and £10 cash in the Overseas section. The fruit from Canada and from England, a £50 gold cup for the best exhibit from Canada, and eleven first prize gold medals out of a possible sixteen, in the Overseas section. This triumph, however, would have been still greater had it not been that the exhibitors from the Pacific were unfortunately, far too few, being restricted to one in each of thirteen classes and two in two others, no entry at all being made in three of the available classes. As a regulation provides that one prize only shall be awarded, if more than three exhibitors in a class, and two only, if the exhibitors are less than five in a class, the slogan "At least five entries in each class!"

In addition to the prizes above mentioned, offers of £100 for the exhibitors for the best British Columbia exhibits in the Overseas section, and a number of other special prizes, donated by the trade, will also be available.

With the object of providing a supply of exhibition fruit for sale to the visiting public, for propaganda purposes, the number of boxes required in the British Empire section has been increased from ten to twelve, and in the Overseas section from seven to eight. Three out of the ten box lots, and two out of the eight box lots, selected indiscriminately from seven to eight, will not be staged, but after being available for turning out and complete inspection by the judges, as representative samples of the exhibits, will be disposed of as indicated.

It is to be hoped that a special effort will be made by British Columbia to be well represented at the next show, as the advertising value of the prominence that may be gained by an exhibition that emphasizes, particularly, the commercial point of view—all competitions being made for boxes as packed for the market—and which has an even greater appeal to the trade than to the general public, is very great.

Last year, the victory the British Columbia McIntosh Red over the very highly regarded English Cox's Orange, produced something of a variety of which British Columbia has a large quantity to sell, but which has not yet attained as secure a place in popular esteem as it has in Canada.

Proclamation of Returning Officer

I have received notice in writing that the following persons have been appointed as Agents of Candidates for the Saanich Electoral District in the forthcoming Provincial Election, namely:

1. JOHN GREENWOOD, of 1236 Government Street, Victoria, real estate agent; agent for Frederick Arthur Pauline.

2. J. D. ROBERTS, of Mt. Tolmie P.O., Saanich, B.C., grocer, agent for James Munro Miller.

3. JNO. McNAIR PATTERSON, 3730 Saanich Road, Saanich, grocer, agent for Thos. G. Coventry.

Dated at Saanich, aforesaid, this 30th day of May, 1924.

N. W. WHITTAKER, Returning Officer, Saanich Electoral District.

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A new waltz is always worth hearing so step in to-day and listen to this one. The big orchestras everywhere are featuring "Memory Lane" this month.

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Feeling the Way I Do—Fox Trot Philip Spittain and His Orchestra
19307 I Must Have Company—Fox Trot Philip Spittain and His Orchestra
19308 In the Evening—Fox Trot Jean Goldkette and His Orchestra
Where the Lazy Daisies Grow—Fox Trot Jean Goldkette and His Orchestra
19303 Memory Lane—Waltz ... Waring's Pennsylvanians
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Many Must Return Accounts Withdrawn From Home Bank

Toronto, May 31.—The liquidators of the Home Bank have decided that a large number of depositors who withdrew their accounts from the Home Bank on August 17 and 18 last, the bank having closed at 3 p.m. on August 17, must refund the amounts to the bank. Court action may be taken against those who fail to respond to the intimation that has been sent out. It is stated that approximately \$75,000 of money on deposit was drawn out by employees of the bank and others who were in a position to secure inside information about the bank's affairs and acted on this information.

In every case where money was deposited in the Home Bank after the collapse the money has been returned as the bank had no right to accept. There are still a number of cases that are being investigated, and it is expected the majority of them will be repaid.

Bishop's Writings Are Not in Harmony

Cleveland, Ohio, May 31.—"Guilt" was the finding of the trial court of the Protestant Episcopal House of Bishops to-day in the case of William Montgomery Brown, retired Bishop of Arkansas. The verdict meant official denial that doctrines of religion set forth in Bishop Brown's writings were in harmony with those held by the Church.

OBITUARY

The death occurred yesterday of Chow York Won at the Chinese Hospital. He was a thirty-seven year old Chinese former resident of Sidney, B.C. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from the H. S. Funeral Parlors at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

"Provincial Elections Act"

Esquimalt Electoral District

Pursuant to Section 163 of the "Provincial Elections Act," the following agents have been appointed by the candidates to be nominated for the Provincial Election to be held on June 20, 1924:

Candidate	Agent	Agent's Address
Carlow, Frank Robert	Victor Reginald Carver	328 Selkirk Ave., Book-keeper
Lockey, Alexander	Robert Whitman Derit	1423 Cadcock St., Machinist
Matheson, Robert Pope	J. Vincent Kent-Fawkes	624 Central St., Store-keeper
Pooley, Robert Henry	John Raffell Saunders	817 Dunsmuir St., Broker

Dated at Esquimalt, B.C., the 20th day of May, 1924.
HENRY HEARNS, Returning Officer.

"Provincial Elections Act"

Victoria City Electoral District

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned candidates have declared in writing to me that they have appointed the persons whose names and addresses are set forth below:

Candidate	Agent	Agent's Address
Clearhouse, Joseph B.	Herbert H. Shandley	Central Bldg.
Drake, Samuel J.	(Mrs.) Ada E. Clayton	601 Campbell Bldg.
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36-inch Silk Taffeta
Values \$2.75; on Sale for \$1.59
A high-grade Taffeta, in clean weave and crisp finish, suitable for dresses or millinery; navy, grey, taupe, Japan blue, amethyst, Saxe and Copenhagen. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Stripe Baronette
Value \$3.98 a Yard, for \$1.98
A perfect Silk for skirts, excellent weight and brilliant sheen, self stripe and very smart-looking; white only. On Sale **\$1.98**

36-inch Frost Silk Ratine
Value \$2.50 a Yard; on Sale for \$1.49
A thoroughly well-made Satin, an excellent wearing fabric with a bright finish. Big value, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Brocaded Poplin
Value \$2.98 a Yard, for \$1.59
A self-pattern Poplin of exceptionally strong texture, suitable for dresses or coat linings; shades are silver, biscuit and zinc. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Satin Stripe Ratine
\$2.50 Value, on Sale for \$1.59 a Yard
A very useful material that washes well and patterned in various stripes. Medium weight, white only. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

40-inch Figured Georgette
\$2.75 Value; on Sale for \$1.59
All all-over design, figured Georgette, of French manufacture, very suitable for waists, scarves, etc. Black ground with mauve and green. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

40-inch Silk Crepe de Chine
Regular \$2.98; on Sale for \$1.59
A heavy-weight Crepe de Chine, suitable for pleated skirts or dresses. Shades are black and navy. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Shot Duchess Satin
Regular \$2.98; on Sale, a Yard, \$1.98
A popular Silk this season for dresses, and is shown in a large variety of combinations. Very big value, a yard **\$1.98**

29-inch Spun Silk
Value \$1.49 a Yard, for 89c
A very strong-textured Silk that will give endless wear and is desirable for lingerie or dresses. Natural shade only. On Sale, a yard **89c**

33-inch Natural Pongee
\$1.50 Value; on Sale, a Yard, \$1.00
A strong, closely woven Silk Pongee, free from filling and makes up well in dresses, rompers or draperies. Big value **\$1.00**

40-inch Figured Soutanne
Value \$3.98; on Sale, a Yard, \$2.98
Figured Soutanne, a silk-and-wool figured fabric, in an attractive self design; makes up smartly in dresses. Shades are silver, black, navy and sand. On Sale, a yard **\$2.98**

40-inch Blister Crepe
Value \$3.98 a Yard, for \$2.98
A medium-weight fabric for dresses. Will give wonderful wear. Shades are grey, navy, Copenhagen and nigger. On Sale, a yard **\$2.98**

36-inch Silk Frost Ratine
On Sale, a Yard, \$1.59
A most satisfactory fabric for wash dresses, and is shown in shades of pink, sky, white, mauve, Copenhagen, grey and ecru. Very special value, a yard **\$1.59**

39-inch Plain Faille Silk
On Sale, a Yard, \$3.25
A Corded Silk of fine texture and excellent weight; makes up well in dresses and is suitable for millinery purposes. Very special, a yard **\$3.25**

38-inch Sylksheen
On Sale, a Yard, \$1.95
An all-silk material of medium weight and suitable for dresses or lingerie. Shades are pink, Nile, grey, navy, nigger, mauve, Copenhagen, lemon, almond green, white and Saxe. Special, a yard **\$1.95**

36-inch Figured Baronette Satin
Value, a Yard, \$5.75; on Sale for \$2.98
An excellent grade Satin in an attractive pattern and brilliant sheen; soft finish and suitable for dresses and skirts. Shades are black, navy, brown, tan, Copenhagen and grey. On Sale, a yard **\$2.98**

40-inch Embroidered Canton
Value, a Yard, \$5.50; on Sale for \$1.59
An exceedingly smart-looking fabric in a novel embroidered design in contrasting colors; suitable for dresses and jumpers. Shades are grey, biscuit, buttercup, navy, peach, henna, and Pekin. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Satin Grenadine
Value, a Yard, \$2.95, for \$1.59
A Silk of practical weight and bright finish, and made up in dresses gives remarkable service. Shades are navy, Japan blue, nickel, jade, Burgundy, Copenhagen, tan and taupe. A yard **\$1.59**

40-inch Figured Crepe de Chine
\$3.75 Value; on Sale, a Yard, \$1.59
Figured Crepe de Chine shown in neat designs; of excellent texture and suitable for dresses, scarves, etc. A large variety of colorings. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

50-inch Navy Tricotine
Value, a Yard, \$1.98, for 98c
A highly mercerized Tricotine, of heavy weight and very strong. On Sale, a yard **98c**

36-inch Wash Satin
On Sale a Yard \$1.98
A Wash Satin of excellent quality; pink and white; will give great satisfaction when in use and launders well. On Sale, a yard **\$1.98**

33-inch Natural Pongee
On Sale, a Yard, \$1.59
Extra strong well-woven Honan Pongee, noted for its enduring qualities, and is superior for dresses and children's wear. On Sale, a yard **\$1.59**

36-inch Silk Crepekind
Regular \$2.98; on Sale, a Yard, \$1.98
A useful Silk, makes up well and always looks fresh; wears remarkably well; shades are white, biscuit, black, navy, grey, red, orange, nigger. On Sale, a yard **\$1.98**

40-inch White Baronette Satin
Value \$3.98; on Sale, a Yard, \$2.98
A French Satin with a lustrous sheen and a soft finish. On Sale, a yard **\$2.98**

40-inch Victorienne Brocade
On Sale, a Yard, \$2.50
A Novelty Silk with a raised pattern; suitable for jumpers. Shades are mauve, white, grey, and pink. On Sale, a yard **\$2.50**

36-inch Check Ratine
On Sale, a Yard, \$1.98
This is a most desirable material for wash dresses; makes up well and looks well. Shades are mauve, rose, fawn and white. On Sale, a yard **\$1.98**

40-inch Satin Stripe Crepe
On Sale, a Yard, \$1.98
This is a material that makes very dainty wash dresses, and is shown in different size stripes. Shades are Nile, Saxe, peach, mauve, biscuit, black, white, Copenhagen and grey. On Sale, a yard **\$1.98**

Our June Whitewear Sale Places Scores of Bargains Before You

A June Clearance of 400 House Dresses

Dresses of good quality gingham, in check and stripe effects. Some are trimmed with organdie and others with plain chambray to match. Shades are red and white, black and white, green and white, blue and white. On Sale, each **\$1.68**

Dresses of stripe, check and plaid gingham, and a few in plain chambray; made in straight and waistline styles. Sizes 34 to 40. Values to \$2.90. Clearing, each **\$2.28**

Chambray and Gingham Dresses, in neat styles; some are trimmed with pique collars, cuffs and sash and two pockets; shown in a large range of colors. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular values \$3.90. On Sale for **\$2.98**



Women's Black Sateen Dresses On Sale at \$1.69

Black Sateen Dresses in plain slip-over style, and neatly trimmed with cretonne. They are finished with one pocket and plain belt. Medium and large sizes. On Sale, each **\$1.69**

Black Sateen Circular Aprons On Sale, Each \$1.29

Circular Aprons, made of excellent grade black sateen, gored to fit neatly. They have two pockets and are shown in sizes 26 to 34 waistband. On Sale, each **\$1.29**

Nurses' Uniforms and Aprons At Clearance Prices

6 Only, Nurses' Uniforms, of good grade twill; made in waistline or straight styles. These are slightly shop-soiled, but otherwise in first-class condition. Sizes 34, 36, 40 and 44. Regular \$3.95 value for **\$2.98**

Nurses' Aprons, made with gored skirt and medium-sized bib. Odd lines, values to \$1.00. On Sale for **69c**

Nurses' Aprons of heavy grade material, with square or round bibs, plain or gathered skirt. On Sale at **98c**

Boudoir Caps at Clearance Prices

Dainty Boudoir Caps of muslin, in crossbar and stripe effects and all-over patterns and trimmed with lace and ribbons; shades are pink, mauve, maize, blue and white. On sale, each **69c**

Boudoir Caps of silk, satin and net combinations of flowered silk, mull, finished with lace and ribbons. On sale at **98c**

An Assortment of Boudoir Caps in a large range of colors. Some slightly soiled. Very special value at **\$1.19**

White Dresses With Middy Collars

Reg. \$3.75, for \$1.59

Dresses made of heavy white twill; designed in straight slip-over style, and trimmed with Copenhagen collars and cuffs. Slightly shop-soiled. On Sale, each **\$1.59**

Kimono of Crepe and Flannelette at \$1.98

Canton Crepe Kimono in plain styles, trimmed with bands of silk. Values to \$3.75 for **\$1.98**

Flannelette Kimono in floral design, with elastic at waist, "V" neck and bound with ribbon. Special value, each **\$1.98**

Unusual Bargains will again be offered during the month in the many lines carried in this department. Many of the garments have become slightly soiled through being on display and through handling, and for that reason have been marked down low enough to assure clearance. Also large quantities have been purchased for this June selling event, and the values are surprising.

Infants' Wear

Low Prices for the June Selling Event

We are offering in the Infants' Department, goods at prices remarkably low during this selling event, and those who make their purchases early will certainly buy to advantage. All shop-soiled goods are going at sacrifice prices.



Eight Only, Home-made Dresses of embroidered lawn, voile and muslin; trimmed with real lace and tucks; values to \$4.50. On Sale for **\$2.59**

12 Only White Flannelette Kimonos, trimmed with colored stitching and embroidery; pink and blue. Value \$1.50. On Sale for **79c**

Infants' White Muslin Petticoats, trimmed with lace, insertion and tucks; for the ages of six months to two years. Value \$1.25. On Sale for **79c**

A Large Assortment of White Muslin and Pique Bonnets and Hats, neatly trimmed with ribbon rosettes. All sizes. Values to \$1.50. On Sale, each **79c**

Baby Pants of white rubberized cotton, button style. Regular 65c. On Sale, a pair **23c**

4 Only Baby Baskets, slightly soiled and trimmed with pink and blue satin. Regular \$3.75, for **\$1.98**

10 Only, Organdie Dresses, pale green and peach; trimmed with self frills, rosettes and tie at back. Sizes for two years. Regular \$2.50. On Sale **\$1.19**

7 Only, Infants' Dresses, of white embroidered lawn and embroidered muslin. For three months to two years. Regular \$3.50 for **\$2.29**

6 Only, Wool Jackets, pink and white silk and wool, hand-knitted. \$3.75 values. **\$1.98**

Cotton Petticoats at June Clearance Prices

Petticoats of good grade with frill at bottom, and edged with tureen lace. On sale, each **\$1.00**

Petticoats of fine cambrie, with dust frill and wide flounce of embroidery. On sale for **\$2.00** and **\$2.50**

Women's Silk Underwear Slightly Shop Soiled Greatly Reduced To Clear

Envelope Chemise of crepe de Chine and satin; some neatly finished with lace, others with hemstitching and embroidery. Clearing at **\$2.98** to **\$7.98**

Envelope Chemise of Habutai silk, neatly trimmed with lace and hemstitching; pink only; values \$3.75, for **\$2.68**

Gowns of crepe de Chine and satin, finished with hemstitching, lace or embroidery. Clearing at **\$13.98**

Gowns of fine nainsook, beautifully embroidered, some hand-made; all reduced to sell at **\$3.90** up to **\$19.75**

Chemises of mull and fine quality nainsook, embroidered and lace-trimmed; shades are rose, mauve and white. On Sale for **\$3.49** to **\$9.90**

Camisoles of silk and satin, also ribbon and lace effects; white, pink, blue, navy and black. On Sale at **\$1.19** to **\$2.98**



Women's White Cotton Underwear at Clearance Prices

Gowns of white cotton in slipover styles, finished around neck and sleeves with pink, blue or mauve. On Sale at **69c**

Gowns of white cotton in slipover style, trimmed with fancy colored stitching. On Sale, each **98c**

White Cotton Gowns, with fancy colored yokes and without sleeves. On Sale, each **\$1.25**

White Cotton Gowns, in button front style, with high neck, long sleeves and yokes of embroidery. On Sale, each **\$1.49**

Plain White Corset Covers, trimmed around neck and sleeves with tureen lace. Big value. Each for **39c**

Camisoles of all-over embroidery, elastic at waist and plain shoulder straps. On Sale, each **59c**

Corset Covers of good grade cotton, button front style, neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery. On Sale, each **74c**

Women's White Cotton Drawers, of excellent grade, with band at waist and lace edging at knee. Open or closed styles. A pair **39c**

Camisoles of fine mull, trimmed with fine lace and lace insertion. On Sale, each **89c**

Women's White Cotton Drawers, with band at waist, trimmed with flounce, edged with embroidery. A pair **59c**

Drawers of excellent grade cambric, gored at waist and trimmed at knee with band or insertion and embroidery. On Sale, a pair **99c**

Drawers of fine nainsook, trimmed with flounce of fine lace; open or closed styles. A pair **\$1.39**

Drawers of fine mull, neatly made and trimmed with wide frill, tucked and edged with fine lace. A pair **\$1.59**

Princess Slips of white cotton, trimmed with tureen lace and built-up shoulder straps. On Sale, each **98c**

Princess Slips of white cotton, shoulder straps and top of embroidery and flounce of embroidery at bottom. Special **\$1.48**

Slips of satinette; made in straight style with gathers at hips and hemstitched top; pink, mauve or blue **\$2.50**

Women's Bloomers At June Clearance Prices

Bloomers of excellent grade mull; made with elastic at waist and knee; flesh and pink. A pair **50c**

Fancy Crepe Bloomers, with double elastic at knee; shades mauve, flesh and pink. A pair **\$1.45**

Bloomers of crossbar dimity, with double elastic at knee; flesh only. On Sale at **75c**

Sedan Satin Bloomers, with double elastic at knee. Shades are rose, mauve, sky and paddy. A pair **\$1.98**

—Whitewear, First Floor

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

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Store Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 p.m.; Saturday, 6 p.m.

There Are Bargains Here to Bring You Down Town Early on Monday



Wash Materials

For Women's and Children's Summer Wear
Remarkable Values for June

Plain English Ratines, for one-piece dresses; all fast colors—peach, sage, grey, reseda, orange, maize, helio, white, old rose, sand, sky, cream, taupe; 38 inches wide. A yard 59¢

Special Purchase of English Fancy Ratines, neat designs, quiet colorings, smart stripes; good quality; eleven designs to select from; 38-inch. Great value. Regular 95¢ yard for, yard 59¢

High Grade Ratine in Pastel tones, fast colors and suitable for Summer skirts, suits, dresses—Orange, sky, peach, lilac, old rose, sage blue, white, tan, sand and grey; 38 inch. A yard \$1.35

White and Black Ratines, very fashionable for Summer; check or stripe effects; 38 inches wide, and excellent value at \$1.25

New Stripe Crepe Ratines, in beautiful combinations tones. Six different effects; all fast colors; 38-inch. A yard \$1.15

Stripe Lingerie Crepes, showing dainty designs on white ground; 31-inch. A yard .55¢

Japanese Crepes, twenty-nine inches, in a large range of shades and colors, for dresses, rompers, underwear or draperies. A yard .29¢

Lingerie Crepes, ideal for the warm weather. Is shown in dainty designs, including swallows, gulls, larks, flowers, mermaids, grounds of white, pink, mauve, maize, peach; designs in flesh, mauve, sky, maize, pink and white; 31 inch, a yard .35¢

Stripe Crepe Ratines, showing fancy stripes on a white ground. Five different colorings, all fast; 38 inches wide. Big value, a yard \$1.00

Satinette, in a fine satin finish, and shown in white, navy, black, mauve, peach, lilac, old rose, sky, reseda; 38 inch, a yard .69¢

Silk Stripe Crepe, a silk finish fabric for warm weather, in pastel shades; mauve, pink, flesh, reseda, orange, sky, peach and white; 31 inch, yd., 50¢

English Crepes, for Summer dresses, in perfect shades of pink, maize, migonette, lilac, sage, biscuit, black and white; 38 inch, a yard .89¢

Ginghams, 27 inches wide, plain or plaid, a yard .25¢

Ginghams, 32 inches wide, in many designs, a yard .39¢

Ginghams, 38 inches wide. Big value, a yard .49¢

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

18-inch Hair and Candy Cloth

Values to \$3.50, on Sale for 50¢ a Yard

This is a splendid opportunity to secure a length for millinery purposes at a fraction of the original price. Shades are black, nigger, cocoa, navy, lemon, rose and fawn. On Sale, a yard .50¢

—Laces, Main Floor

36-inch Radium All-over Flouncing

Values to \$6.75, for 98¢ a Yard

Particularly fine grade Laces in small and bold designs; suitable for dresses or trimmings or lamp shades. Shades are brown, grey, sky, maize, rose, Copenhagen, pink, nigger, taupe, gold, old gold, mauve, ecru, orchid, petunia, black, gold and white. On Sale, a yard .98¢

—Main Floor

SILK DRESDEN RIBBON

Regular 39¢ and 49¢. On Sale for 19¢ a Yard

Heavy Silk Dresden Ribbon, in beautiful finish and a wide choice of color combinations. These are 4 1/4 inches wide and are desirable for sashes, hair-bows, girdles, millinery and trimming purposes. Colors are lemon, nigger, black, cerise, peacock, champagne and cocoa brown. Regular 39¢ and 49¢. On Sale, a yard .19¢

—Ribbons, Main Floor

June Sale Offering in the
HOSIERY
DEPARTMENT

For Women and Children

Fibre Silk Hosiery, made with back seam and lisle top. They have wide garter hem and spliced toes and heels; black, brown, white, camel and polo. On sale, a pair .98¢

Dropstitch Fibre Silk Hosiery with lisle tops and reinforced feet. On sale, a pair .69¢

Women's Silk Lisle Hosiery with elastic top and seamless legs; black, brown, grebe and white. A pair .75¢

Women's Fine Silk Hosiery, with novelty lace clox; white, brown, camel, beige, polo and new grey. A pair .59¢

Women's Sheer Finish Hosiery of lustrous artificial silk. They have lisle garter hem; the shades are black, white, brown, camel, polo grey and beige. A pair .69¢

Women's Mercerized Lisle Hosiery of fine silky appearance. They have a wide hem and are shown in shades of black, brown, white, camel, polo and grey. A pair .59¢

Fine Lisle Hosiery with cotton garter tops and reinforced heels and toes; shades are black, white, camel and polo grey. A pair .50¢

Full Fashioned Fine Lisle Hosiery with widened garter tops, spliced toes and heels; black, brown and white. On sale 75¢

Women's Quality Silk Thread Hosiery, with mercerized garter hem, seamless feet and seam up back of leg; black, brown, camel, sand, white and nickel. A pair .150

Women's Silk Hosiery with ribbed lisle tops and reinforced feet; brown, black, white, camel, beaver, navy, nigger, brown, new silver, nude and log cabin. A pair .200

Children's Three-quarter Silk and Wool Hosiery, plain knit with fancy rib tops and double spliced heels and toes; black, cadet, sand and white. A pair .88¢

Children's Extra Heavy Cotton Hosiery, the toes and heels reinforced with an extra thread; sizes 6 1/2 to 11. Priced according to size, 60¢ and .50¢

Children's Buster Brown's Sister's Stockings; brown, black, camel and white. At 50¢ and .75¢

Boys' Heavy Worned Hosiery; black and brown, for school wear; sizes 7 to 10. Special, a pair .60¢

Boys' and Youths' All-wool Sweater Coats, of heavy rib, with shawl collar and two pockets, Universal brand; made in Vancouver. Shades are navy blue, brown and heather. Sizes 24 to 32. For .33.75

Boys' and Youths' Pull-over Sweater Coats, all-wool, heavy knit, and with shawl collar, Universal brand. Colors are maroon, with Paddy green breast stripes, navy blue with orange breast stripes. Sizes 24 to 32. On Sale for .33.75

Universal Brand All-wool Jerseys, medium weight, with polo collar. Shades are navy blue, Oxford grey and brown. Sizes 24 to 32. Each .11.75

10 Dozen Boys' All-wool Jerseys, light weight, Penman's brand. These are made with polo collar, and shades are grey with cardinal collar and body stripes, navy blue with cardinal collar and body stripes. Sizes 24 to 30. Special at .11.29

10 Dozen Boys' Zimmerkit Brand All-wool Jerseys, light weight, button on shoulder. Shades are Paddy green with body stripes, navy blue with body stripes, Oxford grey with body stripes, and plain colors of brown, navy blue, Oxford grey. Sizes 24 to 30. Special, each .11.29

—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Fine Woven Cotton Jerseys, with long sleeves, plain navy blue or brown, or navy with cardinal neck and cuffs. All sizes. Each .50¢

White Woven Cotton Athletic Jerseys, without sleeves. All sizes. Each .50¢

—Main Floor

Boys' Ties and Belts—Big Values

25 Dozen Boys' Art Silk Ties, in a large assortment of fancy stripes. Special, each .29¢

20 Dozen Boys' Washable Rubber Belts, with nickel color adjustable buckle; brown, black and grey. Special Monday for .19¢

Boys' Sports Belts, elastic, made in England. They have snake fasteners and are adjustable to any size. Club stripes and plain colors. Each .50¢

Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

Special June Sale-Values

Women's Zimmerkit Bloomers with elastic at waist and knee, reinforced with double gusset; excellent grade knit cotton. Shades are mauve, white, pink, sky. Special, 50¢ and .75¢

Women's Summer Cotton Vests, with low neck, slip-over styles, fancy yokes, opera tops, fancy ribbed straps, bias tape tops; various styles to select from; sizes 36 to 44; each .50¢

Women's Summer Weight Cotton Vests, slip-over style with fancy beading, cumfy cut and round tops, fine quality; sizes 36 to 40. On sale, 3 for \$1.00

Women's Zimmerkit Drawers, with loose and tight knee, open style. They are lace trimmed and excellent quality; sizes 36 to 40. A pair \$1.00

Women's Zimmerkit Combinations, slip-over style with short and no sleeves, loose and tight knee. A well known brand; sizes 36 to 40. On sale, a pair \$1.00

Children's Zimmerkit Vests of excellent weight cotton, slip-over styles with short sleeves and draw string; sizes for 2 to 12 years. On sale for .50¢

Children's Vests of fine weight Summer cotton, with bias tops, short and no sleeves; sizes for 2 to 12 years. On Sale for .50¢

Children's Vests of Summer cotton, with low neck; slip-over styles with wide shoulder straps or short sleeves. Suitable for the ages of 2 to 14 years. Special at 3 for \$1.00

—First Floor



Corsets and Brassieres

June Sale Bargains

A Selection Medium Low Bust and Elastic Top Corsets made of pink coutil; back laced models with four hose supporters and lightly boned; values to \$1.75 for \$1.00

"Woven Wire" Boned Corsets; back laced models made of excellent weight white coutil, have four strong hose supporters, medium low bust, embroidery trimmed top and free hip; sizes 21 to 30. On sale at \$1.98

Semi-elastic Girdles, wrap-around style, made of sections of pink coutil and elastic, very low bust and made extra long through back, four hose supporters, lightly boned. Suitable for sports wear or growing girls. On Sale \$1.25

Bandeau Brassieres, back hook style with elastic inset at back, tape shoulder straps and made extra deep. They are of pink satin stripe cotton and fancy pink broche; sizes 32 to 40. On sale for .50¢

—Corsets, First Floor

Hardware Specials On Sale Monday

Spencer's Improved Oil Mops, with metal screw catch for handle, will not pull off. Special \$1.25

Chip Clothes Baskets, just arrived \$2.25

Large size, special, each \$1.90

Medium size, special, each \$1.75

Small size, special, each \$1.50

Small size, special, each \$1.50

Chip Wood Baskets with wooden ends, light and convenient. One size only, each \$1.75

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

Children's Princess Slips On Sale Monday

Pale Pink Cotton Princess Slips for girls. They are neatly made and trimmed with lace around neck and sleeves. They have six-inch frill at bottom and are hemstitched. For the ages of 10 to 16 years. Special .98¢

White Cotton Princess Slips, shoulder strap style, trimmed with pretty embroidery and finished with three flounces at bottom. For the ages of 8 to 15 years. Special, \$1.49

Cotton Underwear For Children—Many Excellent Values For June Sale

Girls' White Cotton Slip-over Gowns with round neck and trimmed with embroidery on neck and sleeves; sizes for 12 to 14 years. Each .89¢

Girls' White and Colored Floral Crepe Gowns, in assorted patterns, slip-over style; mauve, white, maize and pink. Sizes for the ages of 6 to 10 years. \$1.25

White Gowns in slip-over styles, fine lawn or cotton, trimmed with fine lace or embroidery and finished at neck with dainty bow of pink or blue narrow satin ribbon; sizes for 2 to 5 years; round or square necks; values to \$1.75. On sale for .89¢

Children's White Cotton Drawers, trimmed with embroidery or lace, with loose or tight knee; sizes for 2 to 6 years. Special, a pair .35¢

White Floral Crepe Gowns, slip-over style with round neck and finished with blue or pink draw string; sizes for 2 to 6 years. Special .89¢

Children's White Cotton Gowns, embroidered or lace trimmed; sizes for 2 to 4 years; values to \$1.00. On sale for .69¢

Children's White Cotton Slip-over Style Gowns, trimmed with lace around neck and sleeves; sizes 2 to 4 years; values to 75¢. On sale for .39¢

—Children's, First Floor

Sheetings and Sheets
Exceptional Value

All our Sheets and Sheetings are bought direct from the mills of the Old Country and Canada and are the best values obtainable at the prices. Sheets that will give years of service.

Splendid Value in Stout Quality Bleached Cotton Sheetings

63x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$3.00
70x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$3.50
80x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$4.00

Special Grade Pure Finish Fine Sheets

60x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$3.75
72x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$4.50
80x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$5.00

Stout Twill Grade, Bleached, Gives Fine Service

Size 72x90, hemmed, a pair	\$3.50
Size 80x90, hemmed, a pair	\$4.00

Fine Twill Quality, Bleached, Pure Grade

72x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$4.50
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Heavy Grade Bolton Twill Unbleached Sheets

72x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$5.00
80x90 inches, hemmed, a pair	\$5.75

Excellent quality cotton of clean weave and hemstitched.

70x90 inches, pair	\$5.95
80x90 inches, pair	\$6.50
90x108 inches, pair	\$7.95

—Staples, Main Floor

English China Ware—21 Tea Sets
On Sale Each \$9.75

Dainty English Tea Sets, 21 pieces in the set. Shown in three pleasing designs. Specially priced to sell Monday at \$9.75 a set. A remarkable value.

—China, Lower Main Floor

Boys' Cotton Wash Suits, \$1.50 and \$1.75

Boys' Cotton Wash Suits, in Oliver Twist style. Shades are navy, white, khaki and crash. They have sailor collar trimmed with three rows of white braid and finished with black tie. For the ages of 3 to 7 years. On Sale for \$1.50 and \$1.75

—Children's, First Floor

Boys' Fine Woven Cotton Bathing Suits, 75¢

Bathing Suits, Zimmerkit brand, made with skirt attached and buttoned at shoulder; navy blue with orange or cardinal trimming. All sizes, a suit 75¢

—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Athletic Combinations, a Suit 98¢

Boys' Cream Elastic Rib Combinations, Atlantic brand; light weight, with long sleeves and knee length. All sizes. Special value at .98¢

—Main Floor

Boys' Shirts and Shirt-waists

Special June Values

Boys' Fine White Mercerized Cambric Outing Shirts, with collar and pocket; cut coat style and shown in all sizes. Each \$1.50

Youths' sizes, larger in body and longer in sleeves. Sizes 13 to 14 1/2. Each \$1.50

Youths' Fine Print Outing Shirts, with collar to button down at points, and one pocket. Made coat style, and patterned in fancy stripes. Sizes 13 to 14 1/2. On Sale, each \$1.50

Boys' Fine Printed Percalé Shirtwaists, made with collar and pocket and adjustable tape at waist; shown in white and light fancy stripes; all sizes. On Sale 98¢

Boys' Fine Cotton Shirt Waists; in fancy stripes; khaki tan or blue. Special, each .59¢

—Main Floor

Boys' Fine Cotton Athletic Jerseys, 50¢

Fine Woven Cotton Jerseys, with long sleeves, plain navy blue or brown, or navy with cardinal neck and cuffs. All sizes. Each .50¢

White Woven Cotton Athletic Jerseys, without sleeves. All sizes. Each .50¢

—Main Floor

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Rose City, Portland for San Francisco, 27 miles from Columbia River.
Wakana, San Diego for Tacoma, 274 miles from Tacoma.
Charley Watson, Marshfield for Richmond, 284 miles from Richmond.
El Segundo, Richmond for Point Wells, 121 miles from Point Wells.
Mahukona, Seattle for Mahukona, 457 miles from Seattle.
Tug Storm King, bound Seattle, 84 miles from Cape Flattery.
E. W. Barker, San Francisco for Seattle, 250 miles from Seattle.
Martalan, Coos Bay for Eureka, 20 miles south of Columbia River.
Kongosun Maru, Seattle for Yokohama, 450 north 123.34 west.
Curacao, Craig for Ladysmith, 219 miles from Ladysmith.
Dietz, Shanghai for Coos Bay, 945 miles from Coos Bay.
Stuart Dollar, San Francisco for Seattle, 643 miles from Seattle.
M. S. Dollar, San Francisco for Kobe, 1,728 miles from San Francisco.
President Madison, Yokohama for Victoria, noon position 1,738 miles from Victoria.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS

June, 1924
China and Japan
President Grant—Mails close June 1, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 13, Shanghai June 15, Hongkong June 22, Empress of Asia—Mails close June 5, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 14, Shanghai June 16, Hongkong June 23, Arabia Maru—Mails close June 6, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 15, President Madison—Mails close June 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 19, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong July 4, Empress of Canada—Mails close June 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 19, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong July 4, President McKinley—Mails close June 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 19, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong July 4, Empress of Russia—Mails close June 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 19, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong July 4, Australia and New Zealand
Niagara—Mails close June 4, 4 p.m.; direct, due Auckland June 23, due Sydney June 25.
Ventura (Australia only)—Mails close June 7, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco, due Wellington July 1, due Sydney July 12, Makura—Mails close June 7, 4 p.m.; direct, due Auckland June 23, due Sydney July 21.

CHILD KILLED

Ontario, Cal., May 31.—On the way to a cemetery with flowers for her mother's grave, little Mary Elizabeth Roser, nine years old, of Los Angeles, was struck by an automobile and almost instantly killed when she attempted to walk across a highway near here.

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR TO COME HERE FOR GENERAL OVERHAUL

Will Make Special Trip to New York With Lumber Cargo

Before making her special trip to New York, via the Panama Canal, with a big consignment of lumber, the Canadian Seignieur will be dry-docked at Esquimalt for cleaning, painting and general overhauling.

The Canadian Seignieur is to make a special trip to New York in the Intercoastal service. Information received from the Canal states that the Canadian Planter, coming to Victoria from Montreal, arrived there May 26 and is due to arrive here June 12 with a large cargo of general merchandise.

The next freighter reported due from the Old Country in the C.G.M. is the Canadian Planter, which left Glasgow May 22. This vessel is due here about June 27 and is reported to have a cargo almost as big as that brought in from the U.K. by the Canadian Planter.

The Canadian Planter left Astoria at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon while the Canadian Rover arrived at San Francisco at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

COMMODORE HAS BRILLIANT CAREER

Capt. T. E. Wardle, R.N., D.S.O., is Commodore of Australian Fleet

Captain T. E. Wardle, R.N., D.S.O., who has taken over the command of the Royal Australian Navy, in place of Rear-Admiral Addison, has a distinguished career. Captain Wardle took over his command the early part of this month and will fly the pennant of a first-class commodore on the H.M.A.S. Melbourne.

Captain Wardle joined the Royal Navy in 1890 and served at every station with the exception of Australia. His decorations include the Distinguished Service Order and the Order of the Rising Sun. During the war he served with the 16th Cruiser Squadron, under Vice-Admiral Sir Dudley B. Dore. He was later given command of the armed merchantman Alcantara. While in command of that vessel he had a thrilling encounter with the German raider Grief in the North Sea. In February, 1916, the Alcantara came upon the Grief, which appeared to be an unarmed merchant vessel. As a boarding party was leaving the Alcantara to inspect the Grief, the latter vessel dropped her bulwarks and opened fire on the Alcantara. In the encounter which followed both vessels were sunk. Captain Wardle was in the water twenty minutes before being rescued. For his gallantry in this fight, Captain Wardle was awarded the D.S.O. In 1918 he commanded H.M.S. Danae, which recently arrived in Australian waters with the Special Service Squadron. He later served as chief of staff of the British Mission in Greece, and was serving in the North Sea when he received advice of his appointment in Australia.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Tacoma, May 30.—Arrived: Brookdale, San Francisco. Sailed: Clinton, New York; Colusa, San Francisco. La Touche, Doylestown, Lackawanna, Seattle, May 30.—Arrived: La Touche, Lackawanna, Tacoma; Brookdale, Bellingham; Emma Alexander, Victoria. Sailed: Hollywood, Tacoma; Arizona Maru, Yokohama; California, San Francisco. Portland, May 30.—Arrived: Dagfried, Grays Harbor; Admiral Farragut, San Francisco; Puget Maru, motorship Panama, Sachlen, Puget Sound. Sailed: Rose City, Warwick, San Francisco. May 30.—Arrived: Lima, San Francisco. Plymouth, May 27.—Arrived: France, New York. May 28.—Sailed: Caronia, Quebec. Woonung, May 26.—Sailed: Ranella, San Francisco.

MANY VICTORIANS LEAVE TO-MORROW FOR CALIFORNIA

Ninety Will Embark Here on Ss. Emma Alexander; Forty Are Victorians

Forty Victorians will leave on the Admiral coast liner Emma Alexander when she departs for California at 5 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Altogether ninety will embark here. Of this number fifty are from Vancouver and the mainland, while others are from Eastern Canada.

This number, together with the 150 embarking at Seattle, will bring the total to 240.

Among the Victoria passengers embarking here are: Cecil L. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Southern and their son, Mr. E. H. Walker, and her daughter Dorothy, Mrs. F. Graven, D. N. Campbell, J. P. Stewart, Mrs. W. E. Kyle, Mrs. M. C. Howell and Miss M. Halliwell, Mrs. K. Martin, Mrs. C. Trainor, C. E. Thomas and Col. W. A. Villiers of the Canadian Collieries, Mrs. A. Gillan, Miss N. E. Shields, Mrs. A. Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Thomson, Mrs. Doris M. Trueman, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson and children, and H. C. Thomas and children.

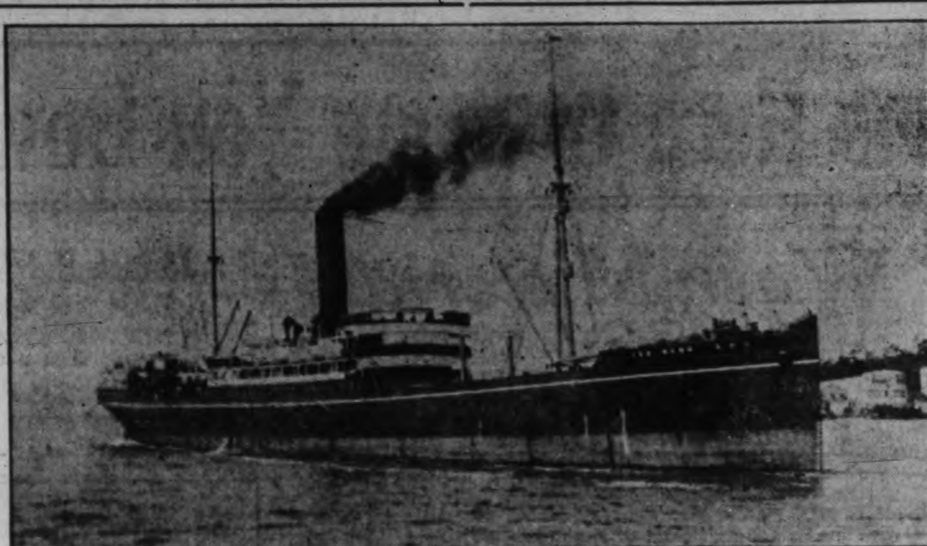
SUNRISE AND SUNSET

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OFFICIAL PROVINCIAL NOMINATIONS, 1924

Constituency	Liberal	Conservative
ALBANY	H. F. Kergin.	Major J. C. Johnston.
ATLIN	Hugh M. Fraser.	E. J. Conway.
BURNABY	J. A. Yorkston.	A. K. McLean.
CARIBOO	Hon. E. D. Barrow.	D. A. Stoddart.
CHILLIWACK	J. A. Buckham.	J. A. McLeod.
COLUMBIA	W. W. Walkem.	A. M. Chisholm.
COMOX	John Taylor.	W. Duncan.
COWICHAN-NEWCASTLE	John Norcross.	C. F. Davis.
CRANBROOK	A. D. Patterson.	N. A. Wallinger.
CRISTON	Harwell Smith.	Col. F. Lister.
DELTA	P. R. Carlow.	Col. A. W. McLean.
DEWIDNEY	James McLean.	J. A. Catherwood.
ESQUIMALT	H. G. Perry.	R. H. Pooley.
FERDIE	E. C. Henniger.	Dr. S. Bonnell.
FORT GEORGE	M. B. Jackson.	P. R. Burden.
GRAND FORKS—GREENWOOD	J. R. Colley.	Col. C. A. Steward.
ILLOOET	Capt. Sidney Leary.	Dr. J. W. McIntosh.
KAMLOOPS	A. E. Munro.	W. F. Palmer.
KASLO-SLOCAN	D. G. McKay.	J. J. Threlkeld.
LILLOOET	Hon. W. Sloan.	Dr. N. J. Paul.
MACKENZIE	Brig. General Campbell.	C. H. Leicestide.
NANAIMO	Dr. E. J. Rothwell.	A. M. Whitford.
NELSON	Dr. K. C. MacDonald.	Rev. A. M. Sanford, D.D.
NEW WESTMINSTER	J. Melbourne Bryan.	A. T. Howe.
NORTH OKANAGAN	H. P. Craney.	R. F. Cruise.
NORTH VANCOUVER	Hon. T. D. Pattullo.	A. Sheffer.
OKINAWA	Hon. V. H. Sutherland.	G. A. Walker.
POINT GREY-RICHMOND	J. MacDonald.	Dr. Ross MacKay.
PRINCE RUPERT	Hon. F. A. Pauline.	J. M. Humphrey.
REVELSTOCK	Frank H. Wilcox.	George Dingwall.
ROSELAND-TRACED	Dr. C. H. Winch.	J. Munroe Miller.
SAANICH	C. B. Latta.	W. A. Warren.
SALMON ARM	W. J. Buckingham.	P. M. Dockrill.
SILKAMEN	Mrs. Mary Ellen K.C.	H. D. P. Lyons.
SKEENA	J. W. de B. Parrie, K.C.	R. H. Neelands (F.L.).
SOUTH OKANAGAN	Capt. Ian Mackenzie.	E. H. Morrison (F.L.).
SOUTH VANCOUVER	Brig. General V. W. Odium.	Angus McInnes (F.L.).
VANCOUVER (Six)	Christopher MacRae.	Miss Priestland (F.L.).
	Charles Woodward.	William Dunn.
	Hon. John Oliver.	W. H. Cottrell.
	H. D. Twigg.	J. Harrington (F.L.).
	Major Gus Lyons.	Henry E. Lyons (Ind.).
	Joshua Hinchliffe.	Joseph North (Ind.).
	J. S. MacLean.	
	Dr. J. D. MacLean.	
	Signifies retiring member.	
	† Candidate for new seat.	

WILL MAKE EXTRA TRIP BEFORE EXCLUSION BILL BECOMES EFFECTIVE



SS. KAGA MARU

ORIENTAL LINES ARE CHANGING SCHEDULES

Special Trips Being Made To Accommodate Rush for Passage to United States Before Exclusion Bill Becomes Operative; Kaga Maru Will Make Quick Turn Around In The Orient, Giving N. Y. K. Extra Trip In June; Mishima Maru May Make Special Run

That accommodation aboard liners, bound from the Orient to the United States and due to dock at an American port before July 1, is at a premium is substantiated by the fact that not only is the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, which operates between the Orient and Victoria and Seattle, but lines operating to other ports along the Pacific seaboard are rearranging their schedules and making special efforts to accommodate those anxious to get into the United States before the Japanese Exclusion Bill comes into effect on July 1.

To accommodate these passengers the Nippon Yusen Kaisha have rearranged its schedule so as to give an extra sailing to this port in June. In addition to this, they are contemplating sailing the Mishima Maru from Yokohama about June 18.

Advices received at the local office this morning states that the sailing from Seattle of the Kaga Maru, August 18, has been canceled. The Kaga Maru, on her voyage from Seattle and Victoria, May 14, will terminate that voyage at Kobe, returning she will sail from Kobe on June 13, arriving at Seattle on June 23, and will be dispatched from Seattle, sailing July 10, terminating her voyage at Shanghai. The quick turn around in the Orient and the omission of coastwise ports of call on the Kaga Maru's itinerary has been made so as to make an additional arrival in Seattle during the month of June, and thus accommodate the large numbers of Japanese travelling to that port before the Exclusion Bill becomes effective.

Although nothing definite has yet been announced in regard to the sailing of the Mishima Maru from Yokohama it is understood that the demand for accommodation will compel the company to put this liner on the trans-Pacific run for a special trip. The Mishima Maru has accommodation for 250 passengers.

Efforts to accommodate the rush of passage to the United States are being made by other lines. Fifteen days ahead of her regular schedule, the Japanese liner Korea Maru will arrive in San Francisco June 27. This is another of the vessels that has been given a quick turn around in the Orient to enable her to make San Francisco before the new immigration exclusion Bill becomes operative. Another arrival at the Golden Gate before the immigration ban becomes effective is the T.K.K. liner Siberia Maru, which arrived to-day with a large passenger list.

Boats arriving at Victoria before

LATEST MOVEMENTS OF C.G.M. SHIPS

Canadian Importer, May 17, arrived Halifax.
Canadian Seignieur, May 26, arrived Vancouver.
Canadian Skirmisher, May 14, 10 p.m., left Vancouver for U.K.
Canadian Transporter, May 30, arrived Victoria.
Canadian Farmer, May 29, 1 p.m., left Astoria.
Canadian Highlander, May 15, arrived Cardiff.
Canadian Planter, May 26, arrived Panama Canal en route to Victoria and Vancouver.
Canadian Scottish, May 15, 1 a.m., left Vancouver for Auckland.
Canadian Traveler, May 27, left Adelaide for Kembla.
Canadian Winner, May 19, 7:30 p.m., arrived Vancouver.
Canadian Rover, May 29, 4:30, arrived San Francisco.
Canadian Observer, May 27, 11:30 p.m., left Ocean Falls.
Canadian Freighter, May 22, left Glasgow.
Canadian Britisher, May 25, 11 p.m., left Vancouver for Pictou.

Mile Record Holder Tries to Lower Mark

Rochester, N.Y., May 31.—Sig Haugdahl of Chicago, holder of the world's one-mile dirt track record, featured the memorial day card of auto races at the Dewey Avenue track here today. In an attempt to lower his own record, Haugdahl, in a Miller special clipped 11.5 seconds off the local record by negotiating the mile in 1:04.1.5. Louis Dreyer of Chicago, Larry Stone of California and "Poo" Daly of Florida, were among winners in the programme of six races.

Swiss Soccer Men Win
New York, May 31.—Bruno Fratini, middleweight champion of Italy, lost the decision last night to Maxie Rosenbloom of Harlem in a twelve-round bout. It was his first American bout.

Oppose Beer Sale—The district W.C.T.U. at its meeting, yesterday afternoon went on record as being strongly opposed to the proposed sale of beer by the glass, and will urge members to vote for the defeat of the plebiscite. The resolution was sponsored by the Frances Willard Union, and a letter will be sent by this union to each county. Provincial election requesting them to state their attitude on this subject.

Bisley Team Changes
Ottawa, May 31.—Two changes have been made in the Canadian Bisley team.

Lieut. Col. C. D. Spittal of St. John, N.B., has retired from the team for business reasons, and will be replaced by Pte. J. W. Selwood, Vancouver. Sergt. J. J. Jaffray, Toronto, has retired for similar reasons, and is replaced by Sergt. A. Parnell, Montreal.

WHALING TENDER GRAY TO BE PUT UP FOR CHARTER

Consolidated Whaling Corporation Not to Use Tender This Year

That the Consolidated Whaling Corporation's whaling tender Gray will not be used by the company this year was definitely announced this morning.

Capt. George Le Marquand stated that the vessel would be put up for charter. The vessel is lying at the V.M.D. The C.P.R. steamer Princess Maquinna and C.N.R. steamer Prince John will look after the station this year.

Capt. Le Marquand has not yet received reports from the northern stations as to the first few weeks' progress at the whaling grounds.

Two Thousand New Settlers Coming Here From Europe

Montreal, May 31.—Approximately 2,000 new settlers will arrive in Canada over the week-end through the ports of Quebec and Halifax, according to advices received here by James Morrison, general passenger agent of steamships for the Canadian National Railways. The greatest proportion of these will disembark at Quebec where over 2,500 will be landed. The White Star liner Doric arrived yesterday from Liverpool and Belfast with 494 passengers. The Anchor Donaldson liner Athena is due Sunday morning from Glasgow, Liverpool and London with 547 passengers while later on the same day the Andania of the Cunard line will land 477 passengers from South-amp-ton, Cherbourg and Queenstown. The new settlers including special parties being brought to Canada by the Ontario Government and the Salvation Army will proceed to their destinations by special trains over the Canadian National Railways. In addition to the above there will be in the neighborhood of 500 settlers landed at Halifax. The Fabre liner Madon, which left the White Star liner Pittsburgh docked Thursday, the former has on board a party of 200 Jewish refugees from Mediterranean ports. The Drottningholm of the Swedish American Line will dock on Monday from Scandinavian ports and go to their destinations by the regular trains of the National system.

Ships at a Glance

To Arrive
President, Madison, Yokohama, June 4.
Hakata Maru, Yokohama, June 4.
Shidzuka Maru, Yokohama, June 10.
Alabama Maru, Yokohama, June 12.
Empress of Russia, Yokohama, June 16.
President McKinley, Yokohama, June 16.
Tokio Maru, Yokohama, June 17.
Manila Maru, Yokohama, June 23.
Yokohama Maru, Yokohama, June 25.
President Jackson, Yokohama, June 25.
Makura, Australia, June 27.
Empress of Australia, Yokohama, July 2.
Africa Maru, Yokohama, July 7.
Toyokawa Maru, Yokohama, July 9.
President Jefferson, Yokohama, July 9.

To Sail
President Grant, Yokohama, June 1.
Niagara, Australia, June 4.
Empress of Asia, Yokohama, June 1.
President Madison, Yokohama, June 18.
Empress of Canada, Yokohama, June 19.
Shidzuka Maru, Yokohama, June 21.
President McKinley, Yokohama, June 25.
Alabama Maru, Yokohama, June 29.
Makura, Australia, June 2.
Empress of Russia, Yokohama, July 3.
President Jackson, Yokohama, July 7.
Yokohama Maru, Yokohama, July 9.
Manila Maru, Yokohama, July 9.

Longshore Log

EMMA ALEXANDER, due here 9 o'clock Sunday morning, outbound for California.
PRESIDENT GRANT due from Seattle 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon outbound for the Orient. To sail at 5:30 o'clock.
PRESIDENT MADISON due late Tuesday night from Orient with 400 tons of cargo.
HAKATA MARU is scheduled to arrive June 4 from Orient with 100 tons of cargo.
RUTH ALEXANDER due from California 10 o'clock Thursday night.
ARABIA MARU is due here 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 8, outbound for the Orient. She will sail at 5:30 o'clock.

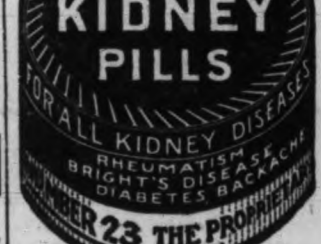
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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt.—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 8 feet to the height of high water as above given.



Canadian Pacific B.C. COAST SERVICES

Sunday, June 1, Only
M.V. Motor Princess will be delayed forty-five minutes, and will leave Sidney at 11:30 A.M. One Trip Only

PUGET SOUND NAVIGATION COMPANY

Automobile and Passenger Ferries "City of Angeles" and "Puget" between Sidney and Anacortes
Leave 9:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., calling at Roche Harbor and Anacortes, on 2:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. trips. Tickets and automobile reservations.

VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1924

Bowers of Flowers In Leafy Glades Nod Welcome to Visitors

"The foxgloves with its stately bells
Of purple shall adorn thy dell;
The wallflower on each rifted rock,
From liberal blossoms shall breathe down
(Gold blossoms, flecked with iron-brown)
Its fragrance; while the hollyhock,
The pink and the carnation vie
With lupin and with lavender,
To decorate the fading year;
And larkspurs, many-hued, shall drive
Gloom from the groves where red leaves lie
And Nature seems but half alive."

Another vantage point from which a delightful vista is ob-

Benvenuto has become one of the show places of the city.

A collage of five black and white photographs of a mountain resort. The top-left photo (1) shows a person sitting in a wicker chair under a large umbrella on a grassy area with a steep, rocky cliff in the background. The top-right photo (3) shows a steep, rocky mountain slope with a small building visible in the distance. The bottom-left photo (4) shows a rocky, forested mountain slope. The bottom-right photo (5) shows a rocky, forested mountain slope with a small building visible in the distance. The central oval inset (2) shows a large, multi-story building with a prominent chimney, surrounded by trees and a grassy area, with a person standing in the foreground.

Of a totally different character but equally appealing in their charm are the main garden paths which slope from the house down to the sea on the one hand and wend their undulating way up the hillside on the other. Lawns of marvellous texture and verdant green are bordered by beds over which masses of lavender, columbines and antirrhinums, pyrethrum and violas cast a purple mist. Arches of clematis and climbing roses, and pillar roses like Dorothy Perkins, crimson rambler and other climbing roses show the cool, fresh greenery of late Spring, while the wall along the terrace is a riot of colour and form in its myriad buds bears prom-

From the Japanese garden the

- landscape changes, returning to its primeval beauty of woodland and sheltered dell, lily of the valley, daffodils and other Spring flowers under the trees showing how cleverly man has enhanced Nature's charms. A shady path leads down to the water's edge and reveals the full glory of Saanich Inlet with its pine-girt hills and wooded isles.

In response to the continuous

This adjoins the greenhouse where the collection of hothouse plants evokes much admiration. Delicate scyranthus in shades varying from the palest pink to a flamboyant rose; magnificent begonias and gloxinias of every variety, and calceolarias whose exquisite coloring and huge blooms are the cream of aristocracy compared to the plebeian little yellow flower which children love to "pop," are among the many fruits of the gardener's art.

One frequently hears the query: "When is the best time to visit the Butchart Gardens? There is only one answer: 'Any way.' To a lover of Nature each season has its own particular charm. Spring brings in its train a 'host of golden daffodils, fluttering and dashing in the breeze,' tulips standing like stirrers in the 'pink and purple' roses of cerulean blue, cool retreats 'where 'the primrose and the nodding white blows.' Summer comes with the 'purple and red' every shade and variety, shedding their sweetness in the shimmering heat to the drowsy haze of autumn bring the 'changing colors' and dancing leaves, its tawny chrysanthemums and vivid lakarspur, and the 'purple and red' of the wistaria of the coming winter.

But the truest appreciation of the service given by Mr. and Mrs. Butchart to Victoria and indeed to Vancouver Island, lies in the hearts of the countless thousands who from year to year pass through the gates of "Benvenuto" into the veritable land of enchantment within, and pass out again the richer by contact with their unfailing charm and unstinted hospitality.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1924

800,000 IDLES FIVE MILLION BRITISH HEARS

Unemployment Insurance Bill
Contemplates Million Re-
lief Grants Until 1926

Permanently Idle Feared as
Result of Extension of Out-
of-Work Payments

London, May 31.—The great Britain to be faced in normal times with the permanent burden of providing a state of maintenance for 800,000 idle members of its population. Such prospect is anything but heartening, yet it is on the basis that there will be 1,000,000 unemployed until 1926 and 800,000 thereafter that the Labor government has introduced its unemployment insurance bill.

Long before the war a certain amount of unemployment had been accepted here as inevitable. As the government did not pay out of work benefit until 1911, however, the estimates of jobs before that time vary greatly, and as relief over an extended period of time did not begin until after the war, really accurate statistics date back only after five years.

Since the war there have been many warnings that Great Britain is definitely overpopulated, but the relief bill of the present government is its first official intimation of "normal" times may include permanent government relief for one out of every fifty of the entire population of the island.

YEAR-ROUND AID PROPOSED

An act passed in 1911 permitted unemployed persons to draw relief payments for as much as fifteen weeks a year. The act of 1922 extended this relief period to twenty weeks—emergency payments on this scale having meanwhile been instituted, soon after the demobilization period ended. The act of 1923 made the period forty-four weeks. All of these acts were passed under Liberal or Tory governments.

Now the Labor Cabinet proposes to make it possible for permanently unemployed men to receive state grants fifty-two weeks of the year. A man out of work is to have 18 shillings a week and a woman 15, with 2 shillings for each child. A man, wife and their three children would thus receive 39 shillings, or approximately 100 cents a week.

This figure is not far below trade union wages in a good many trades. As the bill is a demand for a "year-round" emergency created by the war and its effects has brought about a complete revolution in the principle and methods of unemployment insurance. Naturally, however, the MacDonald government's proposals, although likely to be accepted by the House of Commons, have not received universal acclaim.

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Neither Conservative nor Liberal leaders in the House of Commons have expressed any opinion on the bill. The result is that there is an increasing demand for precaution, lest unemployment and maintenance prove more attractive than work. In the building trades, particularly, there is a shortage of labor which is seriously embarrassing to governmental housing schemes.

It may be noted, however, that in return for supporting Labor's bill in the House of Commons, the Liberals will join with the Conservatives in a demand for a "year-round" emergency created by the war and its effects has brought about a complete revolution in the principle and methods of unemployment insurance. Naturally, however, the MacDonald government's proposals, although likely to be accepted by the House of Commons, have not received universal acclaim.

In a country where labor is so stratified as in Great Britain, there is very little switching from one trade to another. A carpenter who is drawing a dole would not be dissuaded by the "distinction" of an employer to teach him bricklaying. Leaders of the older parties insist that the unions which do not permit their members to take up other trades will have to be brought down, and if a surplus of unemployed remains even after the reshuffling that extensive migration schemes must be carried out.

This is bound to find much opposition from labor, but the fact remains that no party in Great Britain can go to the polls with a programme for the permanent state maintenance of nearly 1,000,000 unemployed and hope to win the votes of the middle class workers.

London Has First Triple Escalator

London, May 31.—The first triple escalator in the world was opened at London at the Bank Station on the subway last week, replacing five lifts, oldtimers, which have carried people up and down since 1890. The lifts were quite inadequate to cope with the modern rush of passengers.

The mechanism of the triple escalator, which is probably advertising as being entirely of British construction, has been reduced to the minimum. The three escalators are in one shaft, a tunnel of twenty-seven feet diameter, and each is worked by two forty-five-horsepower motors. The vertical rise is forty-eight feet and there is a vertical speed of forty-five feet a minute.

It is estimated that this new escalator is capable of handling more than 24,000 passengers an hour. There are 140 steps on each stairway, and the centre one is reversible, up in the morning for the arrival of city workers, and down at night.

CAREER

DIRTY FACES TAKEN FROM WESTMINSTER

Historic Abbey Given Spring
Cleaning, Revealing Glories
Long Hidden

Gilding and Heraldic Designs
on Tomb of Earl of Lan-
caster Now Revealed

London, May 31.—For the first time in many years, Westminster Abbey is being spring-cleaned, not, of course, with soap and water, and mops, but with electric sweepers and other of the paraphernalia used by the housewife in the annual up-beaval, but with a little oil, a soft brush, a cloth, much patience and the labor of one man.

R. J. Quennell, who has undertaken the work of renovation of the old gates, tombs, shields and other glories in Westminster Abbey, is an enthusiastic workman and cleans and polishes with reverent care, not getting to stop back every now and then to admire the beauties which are being revealed through his skill and craft.

This month Mr. Quennell is busy on the huge gates of Henry VIII's Chapel, which have not been cleaned for a hundred years or more. These famous old coronation chairs, which were made of bronze or wood, or what were the badges which adorned them. Previously the only attention they had received was an occasional rubbing down with oil and though this had kept them in a good state of preservation it has also tended to attract the dust which has concealed so much of their splendor.

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Pageant Of Canada Planned At Wembley; Late London Gossip

By PANTON HOUSE

LONDON, May 31.—One of the chief attractions of the British Empire Exhibition during six weeks of July and August will be a Pageant of Empire, to be produced in the great stadium. Each complete performance will take three days. Thousands of actors will appear, including a battery of Horse Artillery, a squadron of cavalry and two companies of infantry, who will be in camp near the Exhibition grounds. Music for the pageant has been supplied by Sir Edward Elgar, and the spoken matter by Mr. Rudyard Kipling.

Visitors from Canada and Newfoundland will be specially interested in the first section of the pageant, which opens with the departure of Cabot from Bristol. Ten scenes are devoted to the story of Newfoundland, from the landing of Cabot, the establishment of the first permanent colony, the period of the "Fishing Admirals" and that of the Naval Governors, down to the granting of responsible government in 1855. Other episodes are the laying of the Atlantic cable (1858), the crinoline ball on the occasion of King Edward's visit as Prince of Wales (1859), the first transatlantic flight and wireless communication, the introduction of the paper and pulp mills at Grand Falls, and fishing, mining and sporting scenes.

The Pageant of Canada shows the discovery of the Dominion by Cartier, the first permanent occupation by the French, Wolfe and Montcalm on the Plains of Abraham, the wars of 1812-15, the beginning of the Confederation, and the development of the West; with a round-up of horse thieves by the Mounted Police.

In the second section we are to see Queen Elizabeth going in state to St. Paul's, to a thanksgiving service for the destruction of the Armada; Blake's fleet in the Mediterranean; and early days in India and South Africa.

The third section opens with a pageant of the Heroes of the Navy, Army and Air Forces; the stories of Australia and New Zealand follow, and the final spectacle shows groups from the Dominions and Colonies and India, around the figure of the Motherland.

Delights of Hampton Court

Gardeners from overseas on a visit to London this Summer should make a point of visiting Hampton Court Palace—a favorite outdoor resort of Londoners.

We say an outdoor resort, because the lovely gardens and parks stand higher in our affections than the picture galleries and state apartments, though these too are popular.

Even the Royal Botanic Gardens at Kew have nothing better to show than Hampton Court's great herbaceous border, which is every amateur gardener's ideal. The Pond Garden, at which one peers through "windows" in a wall of greenery, is perfect of its kind, and for seven or eight months in the year the beds in the well-kept lawns are filled with masses of flowers.

Recently a charming little "knot-garden" has been added, replacing one which disappeared long ago known to have been laid out for Cardinal Wolsey. Interwining "knots"—that is, bows—are carried out in old-fashioned herbs, such as thyme, lavender, basil and marjoram, outlining beds of equally old-fashioned flowers.

Old London Church Tower as Club

The old tower of St. Mary Somerset, in Upper Thames Street, has been redecorated, furnished and opened as a restaurant for women workers in the City. A church has stood on this site since the twelfth century.

Stow, the London historian, speaks of it as "a proper church, but the monuments are all defaced. I think the same to be of old time Sumner's hithe (wharf) of some old man's name that was owner of the ground adjoining."

The church that Stow knew was burnt down in the Great Fire of 1666 and was rebuilt by Sir Christopher Wren. In 1871 it was pulled down, all but the tower, which for over fifty years has stood neglected and forlorn, but is now entering on a new and useful lease of life.

Spring Cleaning in the Abbey

Visitors now renewing their acquaintance with Westminster Abbey are remarking on the beauties that have come to light within the last few years. An artist-expert, Mr. J. R. Quennell, has been at work for some three years, restoring all manner of monuments and decorations long obscured by London dirt. Until he took it in hand, the Coronation Chair (made for Edward I. by Master Walter of Durham), was completely black, but now the original building can be seen, and the birds and foliage painted on the oak more than 600 years ago. His first task was the cleaning of the tomb of Edmund Crouchback, Earl of Leicester, who died in 1296. This is considered one of the most beautiful monuments in the Abbey, and under Mr. Quennell's skilful hands has revealed its long-hidden gilding and the colorings of its heraldic shield.

The gates of Henry VIII's chapel, of early sixteenth century work, are now receiving his attention. A weekly institution in Islington, North London, is the Caledonian Market, where all kinds of goods, mostly second-hand, are displayed on stalls in the open air. It is said to be the largest market of its kind in the world.

On a fine day there may be as many as 1,850 stall-holders and anything from 50,000 to 60,000 customers. In future this market is to be held twice a week. All manner of stories are told of valuable antiques, discovered by collectors and bought for a song, and prosperous people having such things are reported to attend, disguised in the most disreputable clothes, which probably do not deceive the sharp-eyed stall-holders in the least.

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LABOR GAINS Lifting Motor Duties As Baldwin Put Thousands Out Of Work, Is Fear

Coalition Plans Blighted by
Press Attack Attributed to
Former Premier

Beaverbrook and Rother-
mere Are Men He Would
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London, May 31.—With the Conservative party's "dirty linen" brought to the public wash in a manner which is almost unprecedented here, as a result of an interview, later impugned, with ex-premier Stanley Baldwin, political interest has switched from the Labor government to the Opposition, which until four months ago formed the administration of this country.

The positions of Baldwin himself and of Lloyd George and Churchill, as well as of leading members of the Conservatives "shadow cabinet," hang in the balance, due to general reaction to the alleged interview which exposed new hope looking toward formation of a Centre party, in which the Conservatives and the Liberals would line up to fight with Labor.

The interview which was exploded here over the week-end had been printed in the "People," a Sunday paper which is close to Conservative headquarters. In that interview Baldwin summed up the significance of his new programme expounded in recent public speeches. Then, according to the interviewer, the former Premier went on to discuss the leading personalities of his own party with amazing indiscretion.

High spots in statement:

"I am determined that the sinister, cynical combination of Lord Rothermere and Lord Beaverbrook, who are three of the coalition—Lloyd George, Winston Churchill and Lord Rothermere—never again shall come together. To-day you can already see signs of the times."

Then again:

"With Austen (Chamberlain) there came back Birkenhead, who attached himself very cleverly to Austen's apron strings. Austen is one of those men who make a deal of disloyalty and intrigue even if they were at his very elbow. But I am under no illusions about Birkenhead. If his health does not give way he will be a liability to the party."

And further:

"All this intrigue—this Churchill plotting—is bad for the party. What do these intrigues want? Simply to get back to the old, dirty kind of politics."

Speaking of the attacks on himself by the newspapers owned by Lord Beaverbrook and Lord Rothermere, Mr. Baldwin is reported to have said:

"They are both men I would not have in my house—I do not respect either of them."

These personalities in his interview were promptly disavowed by Baldwin. The editor of the "People," an accurate expression of his views and opinions, as given in a conversation of an hour and a quarter.

More oil was poured on the resultant blaze in the Conservative party when The Morning Post, which is known as being close to Baldwin, came out with the suggestion that he might have spilled personalities in a conversation which he did not intend should be published.

"There is so much truth in what he is alleged to have said," this paper added, "that it is almost as good as if he had actually said it."

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express, pointing out that Chamberlain and Birkenhead were members of the "shadow cabinet," and that Baldwin would welcome Churchill as an ally in the meantime, declares that "if the Conservative party is going to have any chance at all, this matter has got to be cleared up."

It is hardly necessary to say that the views attributed to Baldwin are held by the "die-hard" section of the party, and the result of the incident, has been to tear wide open again the breach in party ranks, dating from the Lloyd George coalition, which was healed by the Baldwin government, in which the Baldwin government went down to defeat.

The clash between that section of the party headed by Baldwin, which stands for undiluted Conservatism, with Churchill on the flank, calling for tying up with moderate Liberals in a Centre party, is bound to flare up again as a result of the Baldwin interview. Baldwin's strongest asset momentarily is the fact that his enemies are not all agreed on a choice of his successors.

Meanwhile the Labor government is rejoicing over the disclosure of factional fights which are crippling the strength of the Conservative opposition.

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ROCKS HOUSE OF COMMONS WITH GALES OF LAUGHTER

Jack Jones Says Lloyd George May Be Wizard of Wales, But He's Blizzard of Britain

WHEN Mr. Jack Jones, the irrepressible Labor member of parliament for Silverton, told the British House of Commons that his house was so small that in order to put on his trousers he had to put his legs out of the window, members present, and the press generally, believed that a new humorist with great possibilities had been elected to enliven the proceedings of the House.

The remark was made in one of his first speeches, and his subsequent ones followed it up with others just as brilliant.

"The common impression created in the public mind as a result of reports one sees of Mr. Jack Jones' contributions to parliamentary debates is that when he is not being humorous he is being a nuisance. Such an impression is entirely false," says a friend in Tit-Bits.

Mr. Jack Jones is one of the most popular men in the House of Commons, and his company is sought by members of all parties. His wit is famous, because it reveals a brilliant and penetrating mind.

When, for instance, he described Mr. Winston Churchill as Mr. Brimstone Churchill, he summed up in one word all the popularly conceived characteristics of that politician, in a manner that no other single descriptive word could do.

Jack's latest dive into world-wide publicity came only a few days ago when, replying to a criticism by Lloyd George, he rocked the House with the retort: "Lloyd George may be the wizard of Wales, but he's the blizzard of Britain." At the moment the silent man in Commons was the former premier.

Once he declared: "Westminster is the national gasworks. I used to work in a retort house. Now I work in a house of retorts."

He is quick to acknowledge his mistake when he sees he is in the wrong. He has admitted that his traditional enemy, the speaker of the House, was in the right in their first encounter.

"When I first addressed the House of Commons I called the members gentlemen. The speaker called me to order and I have since discovered that he knew them better than I did." What is not generally realized is that in private life Mr. Jones is a rather quiet, reserved man, nervous and shy. His nervousness is, perhaps, responsible for his outbursts, for he feels keenly anything in the nature of an injustice which he believes has been done to others. When he called members of the House of Commons "dirty dogs" he was feeling very keenly the nature of the debate in which it occurred, but his apology to the House the following day revealed to many who did not know him well how properly dignified he can be on occasion. It is regarded as one of the most polished apologies in the English tongue, and reads in Hansard as follows:

Mr. J. JONES: "During the course of yesterday's proceedings I lost my temper. It is the only thing I have got to lose. During that time I used certain language which, I believe, is considered unparliamentary. It is dockers' language, and as I happen to represent a constituency in the east end of London largely inhabited by casual laborers, I thought I was using the language they would use to express themselves under the circumstances, on the domestic situation then existing. But if I have offended against the rules of the House, I beg leave to withdraw the remarks I made, and to express my regret. Possibly in future I may have opportunities of using more parliamentary language in similar circumstances."

An ex-shop boy, docker, and builders' laborer, of Irish birth, he has behind him a long record of public service which in the east end of London is highly appreciated. A justice of the peace, alderman, and the mayor of West Ham, he fills these offices diligently and with dignity.

He is, in short, by no means the buffoon of parliament, but a man of great intellect, who can never forget the class he represents.

He still lives in his Canning Town home in the East End of London, in the constituency that Kell Hardie, the first Socialist to sit in parliament, represented. Mr. Jones lives in one of those plain, brown brick, two-storey buildings, so common there.

Here he told some of his philosophy to a New York newspaper the other day.

"It will be the duty of Labor," he said, "to wipe out flunkysm. We've already made a start. When I first sat in the House of Commons, in 1918, there were only forty-seven of us Laborites, and high silk hats were common. Now we're 192 strong and only six members today wear high hats."

"The strength of the democratic tendency in English life is shown by the change of fashion at the King's garden party. Once you had to wear uniforms with all your decorations. Now you can go there in your plain ordinary street clothes, such as I'm wearing now. Even in the country where Labor is beginning to get a hold, flunkysm is doomed."

Jack Jones thinks many obsolete institutions and customs, which England has outgrown, should be eliminated.

BLATCHFORD'S NIGHT OUT

WHEN Robert Blatchford, English Socialist and journalist, better known to fame, perhaps, as "Nunquam," first came to London as a young man, he had a pretty rough time of it. One night, when reduced to almost his last shilling, he was supping in a Fleet street tavern on bread and cheese washed down with a half-pint of four ale.

While eating his meal, one of the other customers, with whom Blatchford was slightly acquainted, remarked of a certain journalist that he "would never set the Thames on fire."

"No!" agreed a quiet man in the corner of the room. "I wish he would, for I've got to sleep on the Embankment to-night."



A PAGE ABOUT PEOPLE

Sidelights on Men and Women in the Public Eye



Brave Woman Guards the Gate Of Vast Rocky Mountains Park

Shouldered Lonely Job to Support Her Children When Her Husband Died—The Fame of Mrs. Staple Has Gone Far Afield With Travellers From Canada and the United States.

RIGHT at the entrance of the beautiful valley of the Bow in the foothills of the Rockies is the little cabin of the woman who keeps the gate of Canada's great Rocky Mountains Park.

Last year some 12,000 cars went through the gate, and, with the aid of her young daughter, Joyce, Mrs. Staple checked them up and let them into the vast park of 2,751 acres.

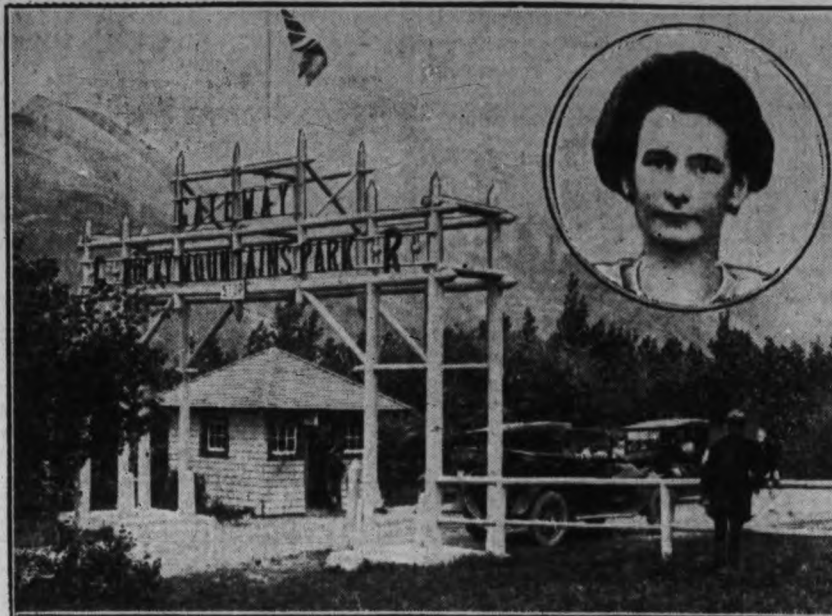
Nearly eighteen years ago Mrs. Staple left her English country home, and came as a bride to the little mountain town of Exshaw. Here she remained until 1916, when her husband's health began to fail, and he had to give up his position as postmaster, and seek outside work. The chance that made Tom Staple first game warden of the Kananaskis section of the Rocky Mountains park also placed opportunity in the path of his wife.

Until 1916 all cars passing through the National Park went to the Royal Northwest Mounted Police barracks in Banff, and were "interred" during the owners' stay; while no residents of the park could keep cars for use therein. There was an insistent demand for a change in policy; and, when Tom Staple became eastern game warden, and went to live in a little log cottage near the eastern limit of the park, the superintendent asked his wife to halt all cars and issue licenses.

"It was not easy then," says Mrs. Staple, "for there was no real gate. Cars often would slip by, and when I attempted to stop them, the drivers would speed away on to Banff, waving derision as they went. I can also well remember that the second driver I halted was furious, and went on to the police barracks in Banff to report promptly the audacious 'hold-up.'"

It is different now, however, for the gate arch is there, lettered in bold relief against its wooded and mountain background. The chain is always swung across, and is padlocked at night.

When Tom Staple died in 1919, his widow—an expectant mother—found herself and her three children unprovided for, and even uncertain as to whether she could keep her little log



Where Mrs. Staple keeps the gate.

home. However, although the tourist traffic over the mountain route had not then assumed its present proportions, Mrs. Staple had already made her worth felt. The authorities knew that in her they had a keeper who would attend strictly to the work, and that none would pass the Gate without proper record.

One can scarcely say too much for the courage of this woman, who carried on unflinchingly for the sake of her children, in the lonely winters of this isolated spot, where there was not even telephonic communication with the outside world for many years.

To thousands of tourists she has been a friend in need. More than one autoist has thanked the gate keeper for aid and advice. Only last summer a driver stalled his car outside the Gate, and went to the office to summon a repair car from Calgary. Only a small repair was needed, and, knowing that a train from the west was shortly due in Exshaw, Mrs. Staple suggested that the autoist walk to that place, take the train to Calgary and secure the repair himself, at small expense. "You saved me \$40," declared a jubilant traveler, when he returned later to resume his trip.

Word of the woman keeper has gone far

afield with travelers from Canada and the States, whom she has served, and each year others leave for the trip, and come along the road, looking forward as one of their pleasures, to meet the bright-faced woman who "keeps the Gate."

King George Runs Engine With Queen at His Side

Dainty Costume Worn by Her Majesty Worries the Trainmen More Than Her

KING GEORGE out-Roosevelted the late Theodore Roosevelt this week when he ran the engine of the royal train a mile on the way back to Windsor, after inspecting the Great Western Railway shops at Swindon. Furthermore, the Queen, in her dainty and easily soiled costume, insisted on accompanying



him in the engine cab during his first lesson as a locomotive engineer. After the royal couple's visit to the railway shops, they returned to the royal train, which was ready on a siding to take them back to Windsor. Railway officials accompanying them suggested that the King might like to drive his own train for a bit, to which the King heartily assented.

Then, much to the astonishment and embarrassment of all present, the Queen asserted she was going to see the fun, too, and, with the King, climbed up into the cab of the express locomotive "Royal Windsor," and took her place beside her husband.

The embarrassed engine crew were terribly worried about the danger she ran of ruining her clothes, and finally persuaded her to hold a piece of cotton waste in each hand to protect her gloves. She laughingly agreed, and, placing her umbrella carefully in a corner of the cab, took her stand in the stoker's place next to the look-out window, while the King, beside the control levers, had a brief lesson in engine driving.

A GRACEFUL COMPLIMENT

AS an example of real Spanish courtesy, Senora Merry Del Val, the beautiful and accomplished wife of the Spanish ambassador to England, tells a charming little story concerning a lady in Madrid, and a certain world-famous performer on the piano, who had accepted an invitation to dine at her house.

Some time after dinner, when the evening was far advanced, the pianist, wishing to show his appreciation at not having been asked to play, seated himself at the piano.

Greatly to his surprise, however, not a sound came from the keys when touched.

"I had the instrument unstrung this morning, monsieur," explained his hostess, "that you might see that the only pleasure I promised myself from your presence this evening was the pleasure of your society."

SECRET OF YOUTH

WONDERFUL Ellen Terry, the English actress, who is now in her 77th year, is as full of vivacity as in her young days, and she takes a very active interest in everything around her.

A short while ago there was a discussion on how actresses keep so amazingly young.

"Well," said Miss Terry with a twinkle in her eye, "I think the reason is this. All women under thirty like to think they are actresses, and all actresses like to think they are under thirty."

Which puts matters in a nutshell!

TOUGH OLD PROSPECTORS AS FOOD FOR SETTLERS

British Columbia Premier Also Gives Permission to Kill Indians, Surveyors and Engineers in Season

HAVING started to earn his daily bread as a pit boy in a coal mine in Lancashire at the age of eleven, John Oliver, now premier of British Columbia, grew to manhood with but a sketchy education. By dint of hard study he has succeeded in mastering many subjects, but the finer shades of meaning of the English language have always eluded him.

Honest John does not mind in the least if he breaks every rule of syntax and prosody in the course of a public speech.

That stamps him as a man of the people, which is always an asset when voting day comes around. And so it has come about that Mr. Oliver must make a really bad break before anybody takes more than passing notice of it.

When minister of agriculture, Mr. Oliver succeeded in surpassing himself. He has a passion for looking after details which others would leave to secretaries or assistants, and it is his habit to make last-minute corrections in official bulletins submitted for his approval, and despatching these direct to the king's printer.

A publication prosaically called "Bulletin No. 2" was placed on the minister's desk for his O.K. This booklet was intended to answer questions likely to be asked by Englishmen proposing to settle in the western province, and was arranged in the familiar question-and-answer form.

One of the queries propounded was: "Can a settler kill deer for food?"

This had been answered briefly in the affirmative, but it was not comprehensive enough. So Mr. Oliver, with a semi-colon and a few lines, added this amazing statement to the list of food possibilities:

"Yes; also Indians, prospectors, surveyors, and engineers when engaged in their avocation, but only in unorganized districts."

In spite of this gracious permission, there have been no reports to date of starving settlers salting down tough old prospectors or sney surveyors to see them through a hard winter. Some of the remote unorganized districts have not yet reported.

Caruso Spent Fortune "Dolling Up" His Bride

Marriage Was So Sudden That Bride Had No Time to Collect Trousseau

THE following excerpts from "Ten Percent Off," the revelations of a professional shopper, by Jane Grant and Katherine Sprohate, in the Saturday Evening Post, obviously refers to the late Enrico Caruso and his bride, who was Dorothy Benjamin:

A singer married a few years ago so suddenly that his bride had no time to collect a trousseau, and certainly not much money to lavish on dainty lingerie and laces. With a grand and foreign gesture he said that the trousseau was to be his wedding gift to her. A professional shopper was called in to expedite the purchases, and from that moment manna descended alike on the heads of the shopper and the shops. The shopper, an earnest young widow, led the singer and his bride to a noted courtier's which she favored. It took exactly 15 minutes to order a \$40,000 chinchilla coat. That disposed of, a parade of manikins displayed the cream of the season's models in frocks.

"That one and that one and that one," said the singer, pointing with his cane, until twenty gowns had been selected.

"Don't you want to see how they look on madame?" suggested the shopper timidly.

"Ah, no," he responded jovially. "She can wear anything."

He was amusing and gay during the fitting process. He held the box of pins—even sticking one in the dress from time to time. Instead of the usual masculine weariness after the fitting, he was ready for fresh fields to conquer and suggested a lingerie shop. He was a sight for the gods, turned loose in the whipped-cream froth of lace petticoats and nightgowns which resembled nothing so much as a strawberry soda. Scooping up great handfuls and tossing them to one side, he said, "Do you suppose that will be enough?" Two thousand dollars' worth of lace undergarments do not come to many pounds' weight, but it meant a lot in the life of the shopper when she calculated her 10 per cent. that night. From there they went down the avenue for hats, shoes and jewels—and there was rejoicing throughout the land of merchandise.

LOCATED BEYOND DOUBT

AMERICANS seem never to tire of telling stories about London fog.

One particularly good one comes from Mrs. Kellogg, wife of the American ambassador to England.

One of her fellow countrymen, it appears, started from Piccadilly Circus in a "London particular" to walk to his hotel, a matter of a few hundred yards.

He succeeded in losing his bearings, and after walking some distance found himself descending a flight of steps.

Arrived at the bottom, he found the road pretty bad; being mostly mud, and fairly deep and sticky mud into the bargain.

While he was pausing in perplexity a bedraggled figure passed him by, and started to ascend the steps down which he had come.

"Hi!" the perplexed one called after him. "Can you tell me where I am?"

"Sure!" came an answering voice through the fog—a voice with an unmistakable American accent. "Sure I can! You're standing on the foreshore of the Thames. Two steps more and you'll be in the river. I've just come out."

Walking, Gardening and Cycling Lead In Recreations of Labor Government

IN the present rush to find out as much as possible concerning the hitherto little known personalities of the members of the British Labor government, the list of their recreations as enumerated in the "Labor Who's Who" has been widely reproduced.

Walking easily takes first place, with gardening and cycling good seconds. Only one

Labor M.P. (Frank Hodges) classes golf among his recreations; but the prime minister, Ramsay MacDonald, himself swings a wicked brassie. Perhaps, since his handicap is 7, he regards golf as more of a science than a pastime.

Mountain climbing and polo playing are conspicuous by their absence from the list of the Labor men's diversions.

Among those who have furnished details of themselves, with their recreations, are:

Ramsay MacDonald, walking.
Arthur Greenwood, theatregoing.

Norman Angell, small yacht racing.
George Barker, photography and microscopy.
Frank Hodges, walking, tennis, golf and billiards.
Sydney Webb, walking.
Colonel Wedgwood, cycling.
Robert Smillie, bowling and billiards.
Dr. Haden Guest, walking and swimming.
Ben Tillett, boxing.

WOULDN'T WEAR SILK HAT WHEN VISITING THE KING

RATHER "stumpy" in appearance, with penetrating eyes that look on the world through thick-lensed glasses, the Right Hon. John Wheatley, minister of health in the new English Labor government, looks less like a minister of the crown than perhaps most of his colleagues.

But appearances count for nothing in Mr. Wheatley's sight. He declined to wear a silk hat when visiting Buckingham Palace, remarking that he had never been seen in one and hoped he never would.

Of Irish parentage, Mr. Wheatley is a self-made man. He is grim and dour—a typical Scot. For years he lived in a single room in a crowded tenement, as one of a family of eleven. No wonder his cry is for more houses!



More Ways Than Typing for a Girl to Make Her Living

A NOVEL and most successful occupation has been chosen by Miss Gertrude Rosenberg, of London: that of breeding and mounting butterflyflies for sale to students and other collectors.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

HUDSON-ESSEX COACH POPULAR

Dealer Here Reports Great Demand For Cars

Just as it takes a champion athlete to show the best under the severest competition, so the Hudson-Essex coaches have scored their greatest success in this Spring's highly competitive market, according to A. W. Carter, Hudson-Essex dealer here.

"Our Essex coaches particularly have been in great demand," he said. "We have sold approximately twice as many this year as we did a year ago. It is a car without real competition, for it is the only five-passenger six cylinder enclosed car at less than \$1,000.

"It has the economy, the closed car comfort and the performing power which the public is looking for this Spring.

"We are thankful that the market this Spring is competitive, for this competition has only served to emphasize the comparative utility and value of the coach.

"If it takes a severe test to prove greatness in a champion athlete, or rough weather to prove what craft in a race is most seaworthy, then the combination of our city's critical attitude toward motor cars and the condition of the general sales market this Spring certainly has tested the vital qualities and value of the Hudson and Essex coaches. In the hottest competition they have shown their brightest.

"The coach has had its great run of popularity this Spring because it is a vital, distinctive idea in the motor car world. It is an enclosed car at an open car price, and that combination is just what the public is waiting for.

"The coach, though now a fully recognized type of motor car, is exclusively manufactured by Hudson and Essex."

ROAD COURTESY

Let the other fellow have the other half of the road. When you hear a horn—it may be your brother's—give ground. If a man's in trouble—be a good Samaritan.

Give a woman driver a chance. Credit the other driver with business as important as yours—until you know different. Say—"The road wasn't wide enough." Instead of—"Why didn't you keep over on your own side?" Smile. Make friends with every driver—they may help you some time.

ALL CANADA HAS SAME ROAD RULE

Prince Edward Island Last Province to Change Old Law

The "Keep to the Right" rule of the road is now general in all provinces of the Dominion. The older provinces for many years followed the Old Country practice of vehicular traffic passing to the left.

Prince Edward Island, the last of the provinces to fall in line, put the "Keep to the Right" rule in force on May 1. The Maritime Provinces were the last to conform to the rules in use in the rest of Canada and the United States. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick only adopted the rule last year.

Until the advent of the automobile and the growth of tourist traffic little confusion arose. The automobile, however, changed the order of things, and tourists visiting the Maritime Provinces found the change difficult to remember.

BREAKS RECORD FOR DELIVERY

Dodge Brothers' Factory Capacity Increases Considerably

Since December 1, Dodge Brothers dealers have consistently broken all previous records for delivery of cars to customers. Materially increased factory capacity and an unusual demand for their new line of cars has made this performance possible.

In December, January and February retail deliveries to customers were 22 per cent. in excess of any similar quarter in the history of the business. Following this, retail deliveries for the first two weeks in March have been over 4,000 each week, which is the first time this figure has been reached so early in the year. Each week's deliveries establishes a new high record.

Factory production in December, January and February totaled 54,521, 25 per cent. greater than the same months of last year which was Dodge Brothers' peak for these months. Daily production in March is averaging virtually nine hundred cars per day.

Dodge Brothers are able to compile accurate sales information because of the co-operation of their dealers throughout the entire United States and Canada who peak in a weekly report of all retail deliveries made to customers. Through these reports they have an accurate, detailed record of exact conditions existing in each sales territory. Their calculations are based upon the number of cars actually consumed by the public, as they believe this to be the only true indication of sales conditions. The constantly climbing delivery records coupled with increasing production, lead Dodge Brothers to believe that the first six months of 1924 will total by far the greatest six months in the history of their business.

EXCESSIVE OIL BAD

Too much oil in a car will cause the engine to smoke; it soots up the plugs, making the engine miss explosions; it accumulates in the head of the cylinders, causing pre-ignition and knocking; it makes the valves leak and lose compression and power. Bluish-white smoke pouring from the exhaust pipe is a symptom of trouble which is approaching, slowly but inevitably.



Carburetor Troubles and How to Prevent Them

The modern automobile is practically trouble proof and will rarely give any trouble at all if it is given a little care and attention at the proper time.

Most automobile owners drive up to the filling station and trust to the strainers on the filling station pump to prevent any water or dirt entering the gasoline tank. It is almost impossible, however, to prevent a certain amount of dirt and water getting into the tank, even although the gasoline is carefully strained. The car manufacturers recognize this, and provide drain plugs and strainers at various points to trap the sediment and prevent it reaching the carburetor where it can cause lots of trouble. Even with these precautions, however, it is a fact that water and grit do sometimes get through these screens and cause trouble.

If you are unlucky enough to get some water in the carburetor, your experience will be something like this—You may be driving along the road when all at once your engine will stop firing for a few seconds then suddenly start up at the same moment you may hear a violent explosion in the muffler. You stop and look around but apparently find nothing wrong and start off, when the same thing happens again, or the engine may stop altogether. Now if you ever do have this experience, you can blame no one but yourself, for this kind of trouble can be avoided very easily by cleaning and draining out the gasoline system three or four times a year.

If grit or dirt gets into the gasoline, it may put the vacuum tank out of order or cause trouble in the carburetor. Suppose you are driving along the road, then all at once the engine starts to misfire and you hear the carburetor popping back. The trouble may be due to a small particle of grit in the jet of the carburetor. If a piece of grit the size of a pin head gets into the jet it will block it up completely and cause the engine to stop altogether.

I have given you just a few of the troubles you may have if you do not clean out the gasoline system now and again. It is a difficult operation, and should not take more than half an hour on the average car.

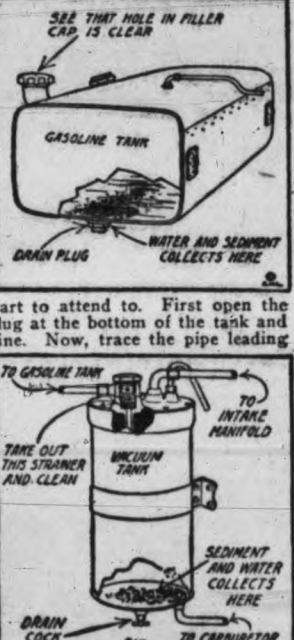
Start at the gasoline tank. First, remove the filler cap and examine the hole in it. If this gets blocked up, a vacuum will be created as the gasoline is drawn out of the tank and it will be impossible to draw any gasoline out of the tank even although it is half full of gasoline. Make sure therefore, that the hole is clear.

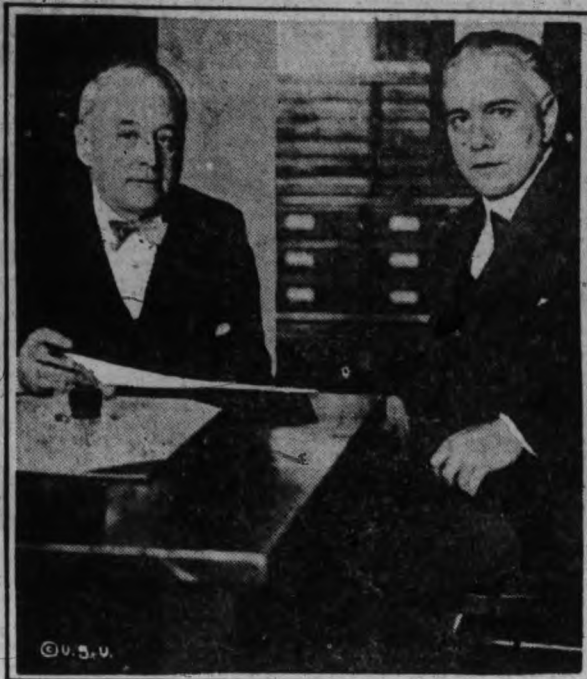
Next take out the drain plug or open up the sediment trap at the bottom of the tank and draw off about half a pint of gasoline. This will remove any sediment or water that may have collected at this point. The Vacuum Tank is the next part to attend to. First open the drain cock or screw out the drain plug at the bottom of the tank and draw off about half a pint of gasoline. Now, trace the pipe leading from the tank at the rear to the top of the vacuum tank. Unscrew the connection here and disconnect the pipe from the vacuum tank. Now, unscrew the fitting in the vacuum tank to which the pipe was attached and you will find a strainer. See that it is clear. When you have replaced the strainer and gasoline pipe, test to see that all connections are tight.

Now we come to the carburetor. BE CAREFUL. Whatever you do, DO NOT alter any adjustments until you thoroughly understand what you are doing. Most carburetors have a strainer where the gasoline enters the carburetor. If there is one fitted on the carburetor to your engine, take it out and see that it is clear.

Just a word about connections. When replacing any connection, be very careful to see that you do not cross thread it or draw it up too tight, or it will leak. If you find the connection is difficult to turn after you have screwed it up once or twice, unscrew and make certain that the threads are not crossed.

If you have cleaned out the gasoline system as described, the gasoline will flow through to the carburetor freely and everything is now ready to adjust and tune up the carburetor itself. This operation will be described in detail next week.





THAW VOLUNTARILY SURRENDERS.—Harry Thaw, photographed with Assistant District Attorney Maloney, New York, before whom Thaw appeared after surrendering himself on an old charge, of assaulting Frederick Gump, Jr., a Kansas City schoolboy, for which alleged offence Thaw faces two indictments. Thaw put up \$10,000 bail and pleaded not guilty.



TOKIO JAZZING IT UP!—Jazz architecture is Tokyo's latest. Authorities have forbidden construction of permanent buildings for awhile yet, so enterprising merchants are seizing upon the opportunity to vie with one another in gaudy structures. Here, for instance, are a motion-picture theatre and music shop. Though constructed of thin wood coated with stucco, they look like stone.



SIKI TAKES THE COUNT.—Battling Siki may never fight again. The picturesque Senegalese conqueror of Georges Carpentier is in worse shape to-day than he was when Mike McTigue got through with him. An auto ride and then a smash-up—perhaps some corn whisky—have sent him to a hospital in Omaha with five shattered ribs and a bruised shoulder. And this despite the fact his trainers had hired two bodyguards to keep him away from the "white lights."

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG



STAR IN FORCED MARRIAGE.—Marion Miller, or as she is to-day, Mrs. Jack O'Neil, the eighteen-year-old Scotch lassie, who was married under such graphic circumstances, with her brother, David Miller. David Miller and his brother, from Niagara Falls, lured Jack O'Neil into a taxi cab, took him to a lonely spot out on the Kingston Road, poked a fifteen-cent toy pistol into his ribs, and finally accompanied him to a parson's residence, where a marriage was performed.



HEALTH GUARDIANS.—Above are some of the men who are prominent at the convention of the Ontario Health Officers' Association which met in Toronto. First, Dr. T. A. Lomer of Ottawa, president of the association. Second is Dr. J. J. Middleton, re-elected secretary of the association. Third is Dr. H. R. Casgrain of Windsor, Ont., and on the right Dr. T. E. Kaiser, Oshawa, both of whom are members of the Provincial Board of Health.



MULVANY.—Here is Judge George W. Mulvany, of the New York General Sessions Court, who is expected to become Tammany chief, now that James Foley has turned down the post due to ill-health.



SPLendor WHEN KINGS MEET.—All the old prewar pomp characterized the royal welcome accorded to King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Rumania upon the occasion of their recent visit to England. In the illustration above the two monarchs are shown as they appeared aboard ship on the arrival at Dover. The second photograph shows the British and Rumanian Kings riding together in London.



BABY MOTOR.—This midget motor converts the bicycle into a motorcycle. It is only 1/2 h.p. and weighs only five pounds.



29 1/2 George St.,
City
Feb. 18, 1924
Mrs. O'Neil.
I am very sorry for
having written such a
letter to you I was very
angry with Jack because
he did not come down
But I realize the damage
I have done him and
you so please forgive me
for it because I was very
angry when I wrote it and
I can now see the mistake
I have made.
M. Miller



USED TO FORCE MARRIAGE.—Shown above are photographs of Mrs. Jack O'Neil, of Toronto, and her husband. Miss Miller's brothers lured the prospective bridegroom into an auto and then whisked him away to a parson's, who married them. The gun shown is a fifteen-cent toy black affair. Anyone who had it poked into his ribs on a dark night in a lonely spot might easily mistake it for the real thing. The letter shown above was written by Miss Miller to her mother-in-law regarding charges against O'Neil.



CAN'T IMPORT LIQUOR.—J. T. Smith, whose long legal fight for permission to import intoxicating liquors into Ontario ended when the Supreme Court dismissed his appeal with costs.



THEY WRITE SONGS.—The five foremost women song writers in America photographed together for the first time at the "composer recital" of the Pen Women's Convention at Washington. Left to right, back row: Gena Branscombe and Ethel Glenn Hier. Front row: Harriet Ware, Mary Turner Salter and Mrs. H. H. A. Beach.

Trant Tells of Paris Under the Empire, Commune and Republic

**Paris Under the Empire
Its Splendor and Gaiety
The Contrast in 1870
An Emperor Deceived
Twenty Years After in Canada
Downfall of a Dynasty and Beginnings of a People
Thoughts and Lessons for Canada and Canadians
Our Politics and Future**

By WILLIAM TRANT

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THE three visits to Paris recorded in the chapters immediately preceding were to me historic occasions, and the history is lost in the whirl of events.

As already indicated I was in Paris under the Empire, the Republic and the Commune. Naturally, contrasts forced themselves on my attention, became permanently fixed there, and when twenty years later I lived on the prairie of Western Canada, additional contrasts arose, and these combined with the others are ever before me. Thus:

1869

The first time I saw the City of Paris and the palace of the Tuilleries (when I was old enough to remember) was in 1869. All was gay and bright and beautiful. Napoleon

III and the beautiful Eugenie were holding a function in the grand salons of the splendid edifice. The Tuilleries, the gardens and the Place de la Concorde, with illuminated fountains and variegated lanterns, were a panorama of splendor, and the stately streets that here converge, the long avenues lined with rich foliage, were crowded with gorgeous equipages. The military display was rich, gay and dazzling.

There was all the paraphernalia that suggested an empire, mighty and lasting. And the occupants of the imperial throne had reason to believe in the security of their position. Magnesia and Sofferino had wrested Lombardy and the duchies from Aus-

tria, Savoy and Nice had been ceded to France, and at last Napoleon—declared—"l'Empire c'est la paix."

There were all the external symptoms of prosperity and progress. A treaty of commerce had been made with Great Britain. The Suez Canal had been opened. The guillotine of the coup d'etat had been stoned by a popularly elected assembly, and government by a responsible ministry. Could any empire be more stable; could any people be more prosperous?

1870

Twelve months afterwards I again stood before the palace of the Tuilleries. What a change! The magnificent edifice was desolate, the blinds down, the shutters closed. The Red Cross of Geneva was over the door. The noble fingers of the daughters of France were unraveling cotton to make lint for wounded soldiers.

The emperor was hastening to his downfall at Sedan. The Prince Imperial had received his baptism of fire. The Tuilleries, still in France, was arranging an escape to England. Recruits were arriving from all quarters, and people were being drilled in every boulevard and open space in the city.

There were all sorts and conditions of men—volunteers, merchants, shopkeepers and gentlemen; there were the rich and the poor, drilled for a few hours, and before they were their faces sent to the front to face Prussian artillery. They were sent with the old muzzle-loader before they knew how to load it, to com-

pete with the breech-loader and the drilled soldier.

No wonder the emperor walked about muttering "on m'a trompé."

There is no doubt it was true. He was deceived in the strength of his army, the quality and quantity of his implements, the ability of his officers.

He placed gilded uniforms on persons and called them generals; men's names written on paper were called soldiers; rusty old rifles were called chassepots.

In fact, Napoleon was not, and never had been, Emperor of the French—he was only Emperor of France. He was but a sovereign of a corrupt court, a rotten army and an ignorant peasantry. France was never with him, notwithstanding the plebeities; and although there is no saying what success might have done for him, yet in my humble opinion no throne is secure which does not rest on the hearts of the people, and has no stability unless upheld by their love and their loyalty.

1871

I yet again stood by the Tuilleries. The war had ended and the Commune began. The historic palace was entirely deserted, and across the streets were barricades dominated by glistening cannon. There was no one to prevent access to within the palace, and day after day its rooms and corridors were my favorite resort. I wandered through its deserted halls. I lounged on the gilded sofas in the gorgeous salons. I sat on the throne of the Empire of France, under an Indian reserve to the south of me; no one within a dozen miles, to the west of me, a few scattered settlers a few miles apart, to the east of me; no one between me and the

North Pole, and not there that I know of.

What a difference! No palace, no steel-clad soldiery, no tramp of horse, or roll of drum, or blare of trumpet; no gleam of bayonet or gorgeous calvacade.

But if there were not the outward pomp of regal and military magnificence, neither were there the deadly horrors of war, the fratricidal death grip of revolution, the murderous onslaught of men in fury with fellow men.

What, then, was there? A log shanty, a sad stable, a yoke of oxen, a plough and—that is all.

I was experiencing civilization at the other end of the stick, so to speak. I was witnessing, not the downfall of a dynasty, but the beginnings of a people.

I take it that all nations, whether monarchies, empires, republics, commonwealths or peopled states, have the same sort of beginning—the hut and the plough, and the question asserts itself: Having the same beginning, are we to have the same end? Are we builders of an empire in this grand West, building to see it crumble in ruins, like the palace of the Tuilleries, or our governors, soldiers and fugitives, or on the scaffold; or citizens in deadly convulsion? Or shall we erect by experience and avoiding the pitfalls where others have perished, build on a rock an empire that shall endure for ever?

1889 and After

Nearly twenty years after the turning of the Tuilleries, I was on the prairie of the Great Northwest—an Indian reserve to the south of me; no one within a dozen miles, to the west of me, a few scattered settlers a few miles apart, to the east of me; no one between me and the

North Pole, and not there that I know of.

What a difference! No palace, no steel-clad soldiery, no tramp of horse, or roll of drum, or blare of trumpet; no gleam of bayonet or gorgeous calvacade.

But if there were not the outward pomp of regal and military magnificence, neither were there the deadly horrors of war, the fratricidal death grip of revolution, the murderous onslaught of men in fury with fellow men.

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But how about our own vision respecting our own environment? Is our sight distorted? Do we see stability where no stability is, as did the nations that have fallen, leaving it for coming generations to discuss our folly, when we too, like the others, have fallen and decayed?

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truth, or is the sermon merely about the way that "seemeth" right? Is Canada being trained to true civilization?

Is it thoroughly realized that we must have clean ballots? Wars in the past have been wars for and for the rulers, not by and for the ruled.

If this be not changed, then the proud edifice of Canadian nationality will crumble to ruin like the palace of the Tuilleries.

GREAT MISSION

The two virgin provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta have a splendid mission, if they have the wit to see it. The history of Canada's provinces covers many black and shameful pages—though perhaps not worse than some other countries. Let us hope that the new nations do profit by the experience of the past and avoid the catastrophes that have characterized every nation that ever was.

Again I say, everything depends upon us. Every nation gets just as good a government as it deserves. It must be so, because it gets the only government that it will tolerate. I read a suggestion the other day that members of the Y.M.C.A. should become politicians. God speed the idea. That there are young men in Canada, in abundance, of such sterling virtue that they can fight political battles without contamination, is my firm belief; that the stability of our existence as a God-fearing and upright people depends upon their so doing in my strong persuasion; and that the Almighty will hasten the day when this shall be achieved is my earnest prayer.

To be continued

STEPHEN LEACOCK

PEPPING YOUR PERSONALITY

The Great New Movement To Increase Your Efficiency in Mating and Money Making

Dear friend reader—for you will not mind my calling you this, or both of this, for I feel already that we are friends, are we not, don't you?—let us sit down and have a comfortable get-together visit and talk things over.

Are you aware that there is big movement going on in this country, and that a lot of big-hearted men and ever so many big women are in it? Perhaps not. Then let me try to tell you all about it and the way in which the world is being transformed by it.

Have you ever thought of the large place that love plays in this world? Perhaps not. And if you have hitherto been clean outside of our great movement toward the new life and the new success, you have probably never read the booklet (obtainable anywhere or to be had by cutting out a coupon) entitled *How to Choose a Mate*, by Dr. O. Salubrious, M.D. Mrs. Wash.

LOVE AND THE LIZARD

It may never have occurred to you how many men in picking a mate, or a life companion, or even a wife, make a bad pick. There are ever so many cases on record where serious dissatisfaction arises with the selection which has been made. With so many to choose from, this seems unnecessary. If you will study the work of Dr. Salubrious, you will see that he makes the bold claim that men and women are animals and they should mate with the same care as is shown by the lobster, the lizard, and the graminiferous mammalia.

The essential idea is that a new race of men and women is emerging under our eyes. These people are a new set of beings. Alive with personality, using one hundred per cent. of their efficiency, they are rapidly inheriting the earth. As Doctor—himself has put it, "The future will belong to those who own it."

Do you want then, reader—to be in this movement or out of it? Or no, let me put it in the striking way phrased by Allforce, "Can you afford to be out of it?"

THE BIGGEST PRICED MEN

Let us therefore proceed to study out this question quietly and systematically, taking nothing for granted. We have said that personality is the greatest thing in the world. But now let us ask ourselves: How do we know that personality is the greatest thing in the world? From what corollaries do we draw this hypothesis, and is such an inquiry justified? In other words, who says so?

Our answer to this is very simple. The greatest men in the world, those that is to say who draw the largest salaries, do so by their personality. Ask any truly great man how he made all his money, and he will always tell you the same thing. The bigger the man is the more loudly he will say it.

The other day I had a few minutes' conversation (I couldn't afford more) with one of the biggest-priced men in this country. "To what," I asked, "do you attribute your own greatness?" He answered without hesitation, "To myself."

WELL-HUNG PERSONALITIES

Yet there was a man who has the reputation of being the second biggest consumer of crude rubber in this country. I asked another man, a large consumer of adjustable bicycle parts, how much he thought he owed of his present commanding position to education. He answered emphatically, "Nothing." "Nothing," in his tone made me believe him.

Now the common element in all these men is personality. Each one of them has a developed, balanced, nicely adjusted well-hung personality. You feel that as soon as such

a man is in your presence; when he enters a room, you are somehow aware that he has come in. When he leaves, you realize that he has gone out. As soon as he opens his mouth, you know that he is speaking. When he has shut his mouth, you feel that he has stopped.

For the acquisition of personality, the first thing needed is to get into harmony with yourself. You may think that this is difficult. But a little practice will soon show you how. Make the effort, so far as you can, to get up in better harmony between your inner and your outer ego.

When you get this done start and see what you can do to extend yourself in all directions. This is a little hard at first, but the very difficulty will lend zest to the effort. As soon as you begin to feel that you are doing it, then try, gently at first, but with increasing emphasis, to revolve about your own axis. When you have got this working nicely, slowly and carefully at first, lift yourself to a new level of thinking. When you have got up there, hold it.

The next great thing to be acquired is optimism, cheerfulness, the absence of all worry. It is a scientific fact that worry has a physical effect upon the body, clogging up the cerebral and filling the primary ducts with mud. Cheerfulness, on the other hand, loosens up the whole anatomy by allowing a freer play to the brain.

THE MORNING SMILE

Begin each day with a smile. When you rise in the morning, throw open your window wide and smile out of it. Don't mind whom you hit with it. When you descend to the breakfast table try to smile at your food, or even break into a pleasant laugh at the sight of it. When you start off to your place of business, enter your street car in a bright and pleasant way, paying your fare to the conductor with a winsome willingness.

When you go into your office, remove your coat and rubbers with a friendly smile. Greet your fellow employees with a smile. Open your power and address of letters with a smile, and when you answer it, try to put into what you write just the little touch of friendly cheerfulness that will win your correspondent's heart. It is amazing how a little touch of personal affection will brighten up the dull routine of business correspondence like a grain of gold in the sand.

Don't sign yourself "Yours truly," but in some such way as "Yours for optimism" or "Yours for a hundred per cent cheerfulness." But I will show you what I mean in a more extended way by relating to you the amazing—but well-authenticated—story of the rise and success of Edward Beanhead.

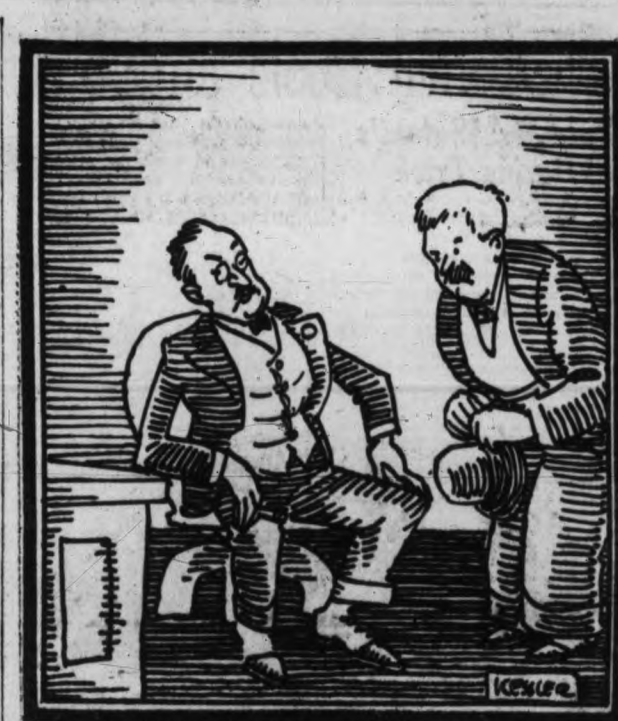
THE REMARKABLE CASE OF EDWARD BEANHEAD

AN AMAZING STORY OF SUCCESS

In presenting the instance of Edward Beanhead, I may say that I have no doubt whatever of its authenticity. I have seen this story of the rise of Edward Beanhead (under his own and other names) printed in so many journals that it must be true. Skeptical readers may suggest that Edward must have owed his start in life to early advantages of birth and wealth; he may have been a prince. This is not so. Beanhead had no birth and no wealth. Accounts differ as to where he was born. Some of the documents as reproduced in the best advertising pages, represent him as a bright little farm boy from Keokuk, Iowa. It is well known, of course, that railroad presidents and heads of colleges come from there. The only thing of which we can be certain is that Edward Beanhead, as a youth just verging into manhood, was occupying a simple station as some sort of a business clerk. Here came the turning point in his life. By a happy accident Edward came across a little booklet entitled "Tutankhamen is a dead one. What are you? Learn personal efficiency in six lessons. Write to the Nut University, Post office 6, Canal Street, Buffalo."

FIVE DYNAMIC WEEKS

From this time on Beanhead's spare minutes were spent in study. We have in proof of this the familiar illustration in which Edward is seen on a high stool, in his office at lunch hour, eating a bun with one hand and studying a book on personality in the other, while at the end of the inserted in a sort of little cloud, one can see Edward's two office companions playing craps with two young negroes. The picture is now rather rare, the little vignette of the crap



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same having proved rather too attractive for certain minds: in fact some people quite mistook the legend "Do you want to make money fast?" Beanhead took the entire course, occupying five weeks and covering Personality, Magnetism, Efficiency, Dynamic Potency, the Science of Power, and Esoteric Leadership.

By the end of his course Edward had reached certain major conclusions. He now saw that the way to power and success lay in the use of his own personality, and that if Edward wanted the business he could have it.

Hence at the end we see Edward Beanhead sitting beside his desk, the regular lines of strategy, and with a beautiful stenographer within easy touch. There are two things to be noted: one on each side of his head, bearing the legends "Efficiency" and "Service."

And one wonders where are those fellows who were playing craps with the negroes.

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"Dear," said Mrs. Brown, "I believe Beanhead is offended about something. She hasn't been to see us for several days."

"Be sure," said Mr. Brown, "to find out what it is when she comes, and we'll try it on her again."

Beanhead suggested to his employer that perhaps his duties were clogged with alumnous litter. The senior man gravely answered that in that case he had better raise Edward's salary. The result was a second increase in salary within twenty-four hours.

AN EFFICIENT FOOTING

In the weeks that followed Edward Beanhead, now seated in a commodious office with flat-top desk and view of the ocean and a range of mountains, entirely reorganized the firm's business. His method was simple. The employees were referred to a ruthless brain-test which eliminated most of them. The business itself was then plotted out on a chart, so designed as to show at a glance all the places where the firm did no business. Banks in which the firm had no money were marked with a red X. By the use of other devices Edward rapidly placed the business on a new footing, stopping all the leaks, focusing it to a point, driving it deep into the ground, giving it room to expand,

Rambles Round Victoria

Our Scenery and Its History

By ROBERT CONNELL

RAISED BEACHES AND OLD LAKES

The Maywood clay underlies the lower lying lands about Victoria, bearing for the most part in their topography unmistakable evidences of their being at one time beneath the sea.

Here and there near the surface can be found evidences of the brackish and fresh water conditions which resulted from their gradual uplift. Of these the district just north of Ross Bay Cemetery furnished a few years ago an excellent example, for when sewer excavations were being made the old peaty and marly soils were exposed beneath which were deposits of marine shells of modern type. In these superficial deposits have been found by Dr. Newcombe and others the remains of bison, elk, etc. It is therefore not difficult to picture the slow process of change registered by these exposures. At the close of the first glaciation took place the deposition of clays, composed of the very finely divided matter from the moraines. In these clays lived great numbers of shells, chiefly bivalves, similar to, if not identical with those found on our shores to-day. But between this clayed deposition and the old lake beds above them certain other strata have to be placed before we have a complete cross-section of later geological history.

THE RIVER AND THE SEA

Above the clay beds were deposited coarse sands and gravels brought down by the glacial streams as the ice retreated, or as the workers of the confused corseer moraine matter. These deposits are found along the high ridge from Cordova Bay to Mt. Tolmie and form not only gravel pits at the latter place but also those of Spring Ridge within the city. They compose the long train which flanks Mr. Douglas's them have been found at least one excellent idea of the conditions under which the deposits were laid down. The regular lines of stratification are broken here and there by short curved lines which are cut off by the higher beds. These irregular and often clear-shaped beds are the result of wave action; they were thus not laid down in very deep water as the fine-grained waves are distinctly limited in vertical extent. The boulders and pebbles are not of our local rock but of types which mark their place of origin as being chiefly on the Mainland and islands to the north. Pale-colored granitic rocks, porphyries with white rectangular felsars standing out clearly against the dark background, micaceous, lustrous and often studded with innumerable small garnets, bright-red jaspers, milky quartz, and the always welcome agates of horny translucent chalcedony, are among the many varieties. Occasionally a mass of glassy lava, weathered pale without, is to be found, and more frequently a block of sandstone studded with Crataceous fossils, shells or leaves.

THE SECOND GLACIATION

The milder weather which has led to the retreat of the ice-cap was like the first warm days of Spring a little premature. Soon the cold came on again, and once more the white sheet extended out into the Straits. But this final glaciation was comparatively slight. It was unable to remove more than a part of the sediments of the warm interval, and it left its own moraines only on the upper heights, as above the Cordova sands and gravels in that central upland of the city already referred to which comprises the territory through which Fort Street cuts the diameter from its turn just south of the Girls' Central School to Richmond Road. The loessic rock masses were no doubt affected by it, but its chief work was done in removing the looser overlying materials and so leaving the present narrow strips of gravel and sand.

Of the retreating glacier the chief evidence is the wonderful Colwood Plain, the delta of an ancient river, which pointed its load in the hollow valley worn in the older clay.

THE STORY RESUMED

Now we can resume our story. When the ice finally withdrew the land, sunk by the excessive weight of

ice and rock-debris, began to rise. For the most part the elevation was gradual. Had there been any one observing the land at this time, he would not have noticed the change of level, unless he had taken observations as with our modern systematic instruments. Yet at times there were sudden movements, else the land would have been eaten back as fast as it rose. Such instantaneous uplifts take place to-day in regions of disturbed equilibrium. Depressions in the elevated surface had their salt water contents freshened by rains and circulation established by streams. The marine life of plant and animal was reduced by that of terrestrial waters, until at last even these underwent a change. They gradually became silted up with the washed soil and vegetable matter, until the little ones disappeared and the larger ones became greatly reduced, on the deeper parts remaining. The wide stretches of flat land about Langford and Glen Lakes, as well as smaller patches here and there, as near Ross Bay, show where once the lake waters spread.

GRANITE BOULDERS

Sometimes on a grassy upland the grey shoulder of a buried rock is seen, heaved up as it were from the depths. Almost invariably it is one of the light-colored granitic

"I suppose," she said, brightly, "you have been in the Navy so long that you are thoroughly accustomed to sea legs?"

The young lieutenant blushed with embarrassment.

"Oh—I never look at them," he protested.

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A PAGE OF INTEREST TO CHILDREN

CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE By Uncle Ray

PAPER AND INK

Egyptians sometimes cut picture-words in stone. It was a hard task, however, and was done only when a thing was supposed to be very important.

A more handy way to write was in moist clay. When the clay hardened, the words stood out clearly. Sometimes picture-words were drawn on hard clay or bone.

How was the drawing done? With pen and ink. The pen was simply a reed cut at one end into a sharp point. The sharp end was the first pen point. The ink was made by mixing water with soot taken from pots blackened while hanging over fires. Gummy juices from certain vegetables were added to thicken the ink and make it stick.

Later on, a still better substance to write upon was discovered. It was papyrus, a rush-like plant which grows near the shores of the Nile. This plant sometimes reaches the height of ten feet. We get our word "paper" from papyrus, and indeed that plant was the first paper. Its stem

big trouble with the moon-month year. Twelve such months made only 364 days. The real year was eleven and one-quarter days longer than that.

To get over this trouble, the Egyptians decided each month should have thirty days. This meant 360 days for twelve months. Five

other days were called "holy days"—thus making 365 days in a year. No attention was then paid to the odd quarter day. The calendar invention dates from the time the Egyptians began to use the 365 day year. That was many years ago.

As time went on in Egypt, certain families got power over more land than their neighbors. The families with much land were "rich." The others were "poor." They often had no land at all. The men at the head of the rich families said to the poor families, "We own all this land. You can work on it, but you must give us part of the crops."

The large land owners were called nobles, and ruled over the towns in the valley of the Nile. The people

who lived on their land were tenants. Sometimes nobles quarreled with one another. They gave the tenants bows and arrows, and there were fights between the people of different places. The noble whose tenants could fight the best beat his neighbor. Then he ruled over the two towns instead of one.

One noble had many tenants who were well trained for fighting. They won all battles against the tenants of other nobles. Their master became King. His son was also a king. The kings of Egypt forced men to build large palaces as "royal" homes. In each town a ruler was named and he had to collect taxes. The king had clerks to keep records of taxes paid by each town. Such clerks are pictured at their work.

Our other sketch shows an exciting scene. The rulers of three towns are being brought to the king's palace to explain why the taxes have not been paid. The men with clubs under their arms are the officers of the king. They may be called police rulers.

THE PYRAMIDS

If anyone speaks of Egypt, we are very likely to think of the pyramids. These became so often seen pictures of these great buildings near the Nile. What are the pyramids? They are great tombs. They were built to protect the bodies or "mummies" of Egypt's rulers.

The earliest rulers of Egypt were content to have small mounds over their graves. Not so with most of those who came later. They made

thousands of persons labor years and years to build pyramids for them. It was something like having our own coffin made to order while we are alive. There is a difference, however. We think of a coffin as something we cannot avoid. The Egyptians thought of pyramids as homes for their bodies. They wanted these homes to last all eternity.

The biggest pyramid was built by order of a king called Khufu. It is called the "Great Pyramid," and you must have seen its picture many a time. We are printing the picture of a pyramid less widely known. It was built before that of Khufu. On three sides of it were great halls. These were stored with food after the king died.

The mummies were placed far inside the pyramids. Our illustration shows a passage which led into the chamber where lay the body of the king who had it built. The height of the pyramids ranged from thirty feet to 481 feet.

MUMMIES AND SPINXES

The Egyptians knew how to treat dead bodies so that flesh would not rot away. There were several methods. The most usual custom among the nobles and kings was to have the heart, lungs, liver and stomach removed from the corpse. These were wrapped in linen cloths or placed in jars. Then the rest of the body was soaked in oils and treated with spices for seventy days. We call a

body treated in such a way a mummy.

During a period of some hundreds of years, the mummy of every king was placed in a huge stone pyramid. The Great Pyramid was the largest, but there were many others which were also tremendous.

In many cases, Egyptian kings ordered sphinxes to be carved out of stone. These sphinxes were good-sized statues which had bodies of lions and heads of human beings. The body was meant to show the king's power. The face was an image of the ruler who caused the sphinx to be made.

The most famous sphinx is called the Great Sphinx. It is pictured to-day. You see that most of the nose has been battered away during the thousands of years. The Great Sphinx is not nearly so large as many pyramids; but it is very big. Its head is sixty-six feet high. If it could open its mouth, it could swallow two men without a bit of trouble. The Great Sphinx is believed to have been built to "guard" the pyramid in which the mummy of a king named Khafre was placed. The face is said to represent that king.

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and Hickory Dickory

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By Howard R. Garis

Uncle Wiggily and Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy were sitting at the dinner table in the hollow stump bungalow one day. They had just finished their meal, and Uncle Wiggily was thinking about hopping away to find an adventure.

All of a sudden the clock struck one—for it was an hour past noon. And, as the clock stopped striking a queer sound was heard inside the bungalow.

"What's that?" asked Uncle Wiggily, giving his pink nose a sort of twinkle sideways. "Is the clock broken? Does it need fixing?"

And just then a little voice from within the clock said: "Don't worry, Uncle Wiggily. Your clock is all right."

"Hello! Who are you?" asked the rabbit gentleman in surprise. "I am Hickory Dickory, the mouse," was the answer. "I am the mouse who ran up the clock, and when the

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, May 31, 1919

Ottawa, May 31.—All correspondence between the Dominion Government, the Governor-General, Ex-premier Turner, and Lt.-Governor McInnes in regard to the dismissal of Mr. Turner from office, was tabled in Parliament to-day.

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Vancouver Island News

DUNCAN HEARS OPPOSITION ORATORY

Special to The Times

Duncan, May 31.—The opera house, Duncan, was about half filled on Wednesday evening, on the occasion of the public meeting held by the Liberal-Conservative Party. W. M. Dwyer occupied the chair, and the speakers were Dr. D. E. Kerr, C. F. Davis, candidate for Cowichan-Nanaimo riding, and Rev. Dr. A. M. Sanford, candidate for New Westminster.

Mr. Davis said he would try for the total abolition of the personal property tax as unjust and unequal. He would help the former to lessen the expenses of his motor vehicle and on his gasoline, or if not possible to discriminate, abolish the tax on gasoline altogether. He would cut down expenses of administration in every way, do away with commissions and boards (such as the Game Board and Liquor Control Board) and make the

departments responsible. He would cut out the system of espionage and stool pigeons, and try for a return of Government loans to farmers at a low rate of interest.

Dr. Sanford forecast the return of only two provincial candidates. No questions were asked, and the meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

POSTPONE MEETING OF DUNCAN BOARD

Special to The Times

Duncan, May 31.—The annual general meeting of the Duncan Board of Trade, which was to have been held on Wednesday evening, was postponed. Owing to the political meeting and other attractions on the same date, the attendance until a late hour for a quorum, a resolution was unanimously passed to hold the general meeting on June 25 at 8 o'clock, which is the regular date for the monthly council meeting.

Latest Derby Betting

London, May 31 (Canadian Press Cable).—Latest betting on the Derby which will be run at Epsom on June 4 follows:

Tom Pinch 15-2, Diophan 100-9, Dawson and Bright Knight 100-8, St. Germans 100-7, Sanovino 25-1, Hurstwood, Parmenio and Knight of the Garter 40-1, Spalpeen 40-1, De-fiance and Woodend 50-1.

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Certificates—The following certificates have been granted to the undermentioned from Provisional Schools of Instruction for periods as shown below: W. R. R. Bradley, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60465; F. A. Leyfield, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60466; A. Porter, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60467; D. S. Donaghy, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60468; G. C. A. Jackson, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60469; T. N. Armit, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60470; H. V. Knowland, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60471; F. Gardiner, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60472; A. G. Lindsay, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60473; R. M. MacDonald, First B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60474; J. M. S. Tait, First Battalion S.H. of C. Lieutenant, No. 60484; L. J. Arm-

strong, First Battalion I.P. of C. Lieutenant, No. 60485; C. L. Spencer, First Battalion I.P. of C. Lieutenant, No. 60486. Prov. School (infantry), Vancouver, B.C., covering course from 6-2-24 to 15-3-24. J. Barnley, First North B.C. Regiment, Lieutenant, No. 60487. Prov. School (infantry), Prince Rupert, B.C., covering course from 8-1-24 to 12-2-24.

Qualification of Officers, Active Militia—For the information of all concerned it has been brought to notice that officers have been allowed to undergo examinations for certification of military qualification for higher ranks than those for which they hold provisional rank. It has therefore become necessary to invite the attention of officers commanding units to the provisions of K.R. and C. (Can.), 1917, paragraphs 841 and 842, which gives the proper procedure to be adopted.

L. C. GOODEVE, Major, General Staff Officer, M.D. No. 11.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

General Orders—An advance copy of General Order No. 66 of 1924 is published as an appendix to district orders of this date for the information of all concerned.

Authority is granted the undermentioned to draw allowances in lieu of rations with effect from June 1, 1924: No. 259, Gunner W. Grimes, No. 5 Battery, R.C.A. (C.A.).

H. C. GREER, Lieut.-Colonel, A.A. and Q.M.G. M.D. No. 11.

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SERIAL STORY

The Black Gang

By CYRIL MCNEILE, "Sapper"

Author of "Bull-dog Drummond," "No Man's Land," etc.

In the hands of the other two men! The idea was a new one, which had not yet come into his calculations, so convinced had he been that all three men were dead. And suddenly he felt a sort of blinding certainty that the Inspector—though in ignorance of the real facts of the case—was right in his surmise. Diamonds are not blown to pieces by an explosion; scattered they might be—disintegrated, no. He felt he must get away to consider this new development. Where did he stand if the diamonds were indeed in the possession of the Black Gang? Would it help him or would it not, with regard to that implacable man at the Ritz?

He crossed over to the jagged hole in the wall and looked out.

"This has rather upset me, Inspector," he said, after a while. "The South Surrey Hotel in Bloomsbury will always find me."

"Right, sir!" The Inspector made a note, and then leaned back against the hole with a frown. "Get out of this, you there! Go on, or I'll have you locked up as a vagrant!"

"Oh, right, or riel!" Can't a bloke 'ave a bit of fun when 'e ain't doing no harm?"

The loafer, who had been leaning inquisitively moved on from the front door, scrambled down from the lean-to roof behind, and slouched away, muttering darkly. And he was still muttering to himself as he opened the door of a taxi a few minutes later, into which Mr. Atkinson hurriedly stepped. For a moment or two he stood on the pavement until he had disappeared from view; then his prowling propensities seemed to disappear as if by magic. Still with the same shambling gait, but apparently now with some definite object in his mind, he disappeared down a side street, finally coming to a halt before a public telephone-box. He gave one rapid look around, then he stepped inside.

"Mayfair 1234." He waited beating a tattoo with his pennies on the coin slot, and then he spoke, his voice very well.

"Hullo, is that you, Hugh? Yes, Peter speaking. The man Atkinson is the hunchback. He's stopping at the Surrey Hotel, Bloomsbury. He's just got into a taxi and gone off to the Ritz. He seemed peeved to me. Yes, he inquired lovingly about the whatnots. . . What's that? You toddle round to the Ritz yourself. Fight me! I'll come, too. Cocktail time. Give you full details then."

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busily engaged in knitting some obscure garment, and Hugh handed her the wool with a bow.

"Thank you so much!" she said. "I've just come back from the fountain with a pleasant smile. 'I'm afraid I'm always dropping my wool all over the place.'"

"Don't mention it," remarked Hugh politely. "Dashed little thing—a ball of wool. Spend my life picking up my wife's. Everybody seems to be knitting these jumper effects now."

"Oh, this isn't a jumper," answered the girl a little sadly. "I've no time for such frivolities as that. You see I've just come back from the fountain with a pleasant smile. 'I'm afraid I'm always dropping my wool all over the place.'"

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AGREE TO ENGAGE EIGHT ADDITIONAL CITY FIREMEN

New Policy Adopted at Solicitation of Commercial Interests.

End of Protracted Controversy Believed to be in Sight

There will not be any change in the number of district fire halls operated, the City Council decided yesterday after hearing an influential delegation of business men representative of the Chamber of Commerce, Retail Merchants' Association, Real Estate Board, and other bodies.

This course involved the reconsideration and deletion of the Dewart motion of Monday, and Alderman Dewart now submitted a new motion, which he drafted as follows:

"That the salaries of the Fire Department remain as at present provided for in the estimates, but that the total amount be increased to provide for the salaries of eight additional men.

"That the Fire Department Hours of Labor Act be brought into force on June 1.

"That the Chief of the Fire Department be, and is hereby instructed to secure the services of eight additional men, and to make such adjustments and arrangements of his officers and men to carry out the provision of the act."

THE PRESENT IMPASSE

Alderman Ker pointed out that on Monday night a resolution had been adopted that the council would not increase its salary vote for firemen, and also to bring the Fire Department Hours of Labor Act into operation, as from June 1. The amount of \$11,529 was involved as a consequence of the bringing in operation of the act, without closing fire halls, and if they closed halls they had assurance that additional fire insurance rates would cost \$25,000 up to \$30,000 a year. In his judgment it appeared certainly not good business to cause the effect of such increase on insured persons in city. It would entail for the balance of the year about \$5,728 for eight men, he added.

Another important aspect was that money spent in employing firemen would be spent here while money spent on insurance rates would go out of the city elsewhere, Alderman Ker explained.

A motion to reconsider was then adopted.

Alderman Sangster asked for an intimation to be given as to the character of the substitute motion to be submitted, so that the deputation might know what was proposed.

Before it was submitted, a motion to hear deputations was passed.

MR. SCHWENGERS SPEAKS

C. P. W. Schwengers, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, introduced the deputation, sympathizing with the position of the firemen. The firemen "had won out," and if redress were necessary they must look to the Legislature, he asserted. It was "just good business common sense to select the loss of the two evils," he remarked, as a rate increase would be placed on the commercial community, which could not expect to carry any further ones. If Victoria West hall were closed, the city would revert to a third rate risk, and that was a serious question. One of the efforts would be to remove a fire hall from the centre of the manufacturing area. He did not believe the council was justified in jeopardizing the properties affected by the Catherine Street hall. When the Legislature sat they must lose no effort possible to get "an act in every form iniquitous" repealed.

RETAIL TRADE OPINION

A. J. Watson, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, joined with the protest as representing the retail trade, which was suffering acutely, he stated.

Licensed fees, increase of 14½ per cent in the assessment of improvements, had added to their burdens, while each year the fire risk was greater from gasoline and service stations in the city, which had added to the hazard to property.

E AND N. SHOPS

H. E. Beasley, general superintendent of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, said he sympathized with the council owing to the criticism which high taxation had occasioned.

Tells Just Why He Recommends Them

Quebec Man Found Complete Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills

Rheumatism and Backache were two of his ills. The others also came from sick kidneys and Dodd's Kidney Pills drove them all away. Padoue Station, Que., May 30 (Special).—"I have suffered with rheumatism, backaches and headaches for five years. I also had cramps and could not sleep. Five boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills have given me complete relief. This statement comes from Mr. G. Levesque, a well-known resident of this place."

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His company was particularly affected by the proposal. He pointed to the large investment in plant and shops of the company in Victoria West. It seemed to him that perhaps some other hall could be closed.

REAL ESTATE INTERESTS

James Forman spoke on behalf of the Real Estate Board, pointing out no organization in the city was the better friend of the council, because as real estate men they were always urging taxpayers to liquidate their liabilities to the city. He reminded them of the fire at the Arcade Building. With another fire occurring, the department, he stated, could not have handled it simultaneously. They had now about \$25,000,000 of contents invested in the city. The present low insurance rate was due to four causes:

Good clear record of fires.
Good fire department, with close inspection.
Water supply ample.
Good condition of streets.

He turned to emphasize the menace of reducing the protection, even if it did cost a few more dollars. If they could afford the new bridge surely they could afford the adequate protection of their property. If the hall were closed, said Mr. Schwengers, it was equivalent to a three-quarters of a mill rate taken out of the pockets of the taxpayers. Mr. Forman took issue with the statement that the increased premiums would go outside the city, stating that the fire loss ratio was 12.5 per cent in B.C., and in some years, as on the occasion of a large fire in Victoria, the whole earnings in premiums of the year were absorbed.

OTHER OPINIONS

J. O. Cameron declared that the city would be wise to pay out in salaries than in premiums. The Canadian Lumber Company would be penalized to an extent of from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per year owing to its situation. Attempt should be made to prevent an increase of rates, he contended.

W. H. Bone pointed out that a larger number of non-insured would suffer, if the policy of closing district halls was proceeded with. Equipment from headquarters went to a fire in Victoria West this week the Johnson Street Bridge was open, and the equipment was compelled to go back by Point Ellice Bridge, valuable time being lost.

Mayor Hayward declared that contrary to his belief it was the duty of the fire department when the basic rate was raised.

THE NEW MOTION

The council then rescinded the motion of Monday and the new resolution was introduced by Alderman Dewart.

Alderman Sargent: "Where is the money to come from?"

Alderman Dewart: "We have a contingency fund."

Alderman Woodward: "How about supplementary estimates?"

Alderman Sargent was understood to point out the amount could not be levied for now.

STATE INSURANCE

Alderman Sangster said such events as they had experienced were driving the communities into state insurance. He moved an amendment that the firemen be instructed that their services would not be wanted after the 31st of next month, and that the chief invite applications on the basis of the present estimate for salaries.

"You will have to wait a good many years before there is a 31st of that month," interjected Alderman Woodward.

"I will make it June 30, replied Alderman Sangster.

Alderman Sargent seconded the amendment.

Alderman Marchant declared that the statement that the city had been beaten was untrue. The firemen had exercised a common right which had come down through the ages, and as they could not get what they wanted from the municipalities, they had gone to the Legislature.

"I gravely doubt," he added, "that any party will do anything in any way to pledge themselves to amend the act."

Alderman Sangster: "Not just now."

DEFENDS FIREMEN

Alderman Marchant defended the act as a fair and just one. Efforts had been made to rectify that situation by some of the council, but that course being rejected, some alternative was essential. Closing of Yess Street hall would have caused much less trouble, and then considering other halls, Victoria West hall was chosen. Looking to the future it would increase the incidental costs of the city \$11,000 in 1924 and he might point out that \$55,000 would be required for the rebanding of the local improvement issue, so that they had at least \$66,000 additional fixed charges next year.

"If a committee of the most peculiar—no he would not call them that, but patriotic high-minded aldermen—had reported against a change, why change it? Was it not a little puerile, a little infantile to make a change now?"

Was any evidence forthcoming that the closing of Victoria West hall would add to the fire risk? Was it fully investigated? he asked.

"A royal commission?" asked one member of the council.

"A committee under the public inquiries section of the Municipal Act," he retorted in view of the recent motion on the B.C. Agricultural Association.

Why in the interests of the Fire Underwriters should they abandon their position, and the request of a few representatives? went on Alderman Marchant. "I would like to call the bluff, to see the reason indisputably that the risks had increased," he continued.

If a request were made for an increase of a few cents in the laborers' wages would any commercial body be there to urge the amount to be voted? Alderman Marchant said. "The underwriters are simply holding a club over us."

"It may bring the club down," remarked the Mayor.

QUESTIONS AMENDMENT

Alderman Ker questioned the legality of the amendment, and pointed out it made no provision for the intervening thirty days.

Alderman Sangster doubted if the motion was necessary, and as for the amendment although he had seconded it, he believed it would be amending before it should be carried. He alluded to his participation in interviews with the firemen, and said compromise might have come if some firemen were willing to compromise like others. He agreed the firemen had some occa-

sion for grievance. For his part he had never approved of the closing of any halls. If the amendment were approved a reorganization would take place, and the city would be benefited.

Mayor Hayward said the question revolved itself round a number of matters. He believed the amendment would occasion chaos, and there might be a serious condition if half the department were new men. With regard to Alderman Marchant's request for further information, the fire underwriters, he said, had spoken and would not retract.

For the amendment Alderman Sangster and Sargent voted, and the motion was adopted by the votes of Mayor Hayward, Alderman Dewart, Marchant, Woodward, Ker and Harvey. The same two voted in the negative.

BROTHERHOOD IS PRAISED FOR ITS ORGANIZATION

Alderman Woodward Says Foul Bay Should Copy Victoria West Effort

Speaking at what was to have been an indignation meeting at the Victoria West Park last evening, Alderman Woodward struck the note which gained applause, when he stated that the Victoria West Brotherhood had won another battle that day in the settlement of the fire hall question, and it was a striking tribute to the organization which that body possessed that it was able to mould public opinion to the benefit of the community.

The meeting had been called in case the council refused to make provision for firemen's salaries to keep the Victoria West Hall open. As explained in another column, satisfactory arrangements were made.

Alderman Woodward said the most neglected part of Victoria West was Foul Bay, and if that community had an organization exercising so continuous a pressure on public affairs, the board at Foul Bay would not be in its present state.

G. A. Turner, who presided, pointed out that the hall where they met was an outcome of the last indignation meeting held in the Songhees Park. He trusted as a result of their

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latest effort the Brotherhood would obtain members.

Mayor Hayward pointed out that the condition in which the council found itself was not due to the omission of any act by the aldermen, but by the legislation of the last session. He hoped they would be satisfied with the arrangements made to keep the hall open, and this, sentiment met with applause.

Dr. Melbourne Raynor, a former president of the Brotherhood, and Dr. Lewis Hall both spoke briefly. Reeve A. Lockley of Esquimalt was in the audience, and the meeting was well attended for a Summer evening.

REALTORS ASKED TO SUPPORT PLEA

H. M. Lewis acting for Cadboro Bay residents, protesting against the additional telephone rates to be imposed in that district by the B.C. Telephone Company, appeared before the executive of the Real Estate Board yesterday, and requested the support of the board.

Protest will be made by the residents to the Railway Board when it meets towards the end of June, it was stated. The executive promised support. The president, James For-

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man, was asked to communicate with Mr. Halse at Vancouver.

at the regular luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms on June 4, at 12:30 o'clock.

Douglas A. S. McGregor, secretary of the Victoria Fire Underwriters, will deal with insurance rates as "Feeling" the City and Oak Bay. With two such speakers on the roster the executive anticipates a record turnout.

WILL ADDRESS REAL ESTATE MEN

Taxation and Fire Insurance Two Subjects on List of Luncheon Talks

"City Taxes and Taxation" will be the theme developed by D. A. Macdonald, City Comptroller, in an address before the Real Estate Board

CANADIAN LEGION

A meeting of the Executive Council of the Canadian Legion will be held in the library of the club, 1406 Douglas Street on Monday next at 8 o'clock. The general meeting of members will take place on Wednesday in the large hall at the same hour. Important matters will be dealt with and a large attendance of members is requested.



The Man We Forget

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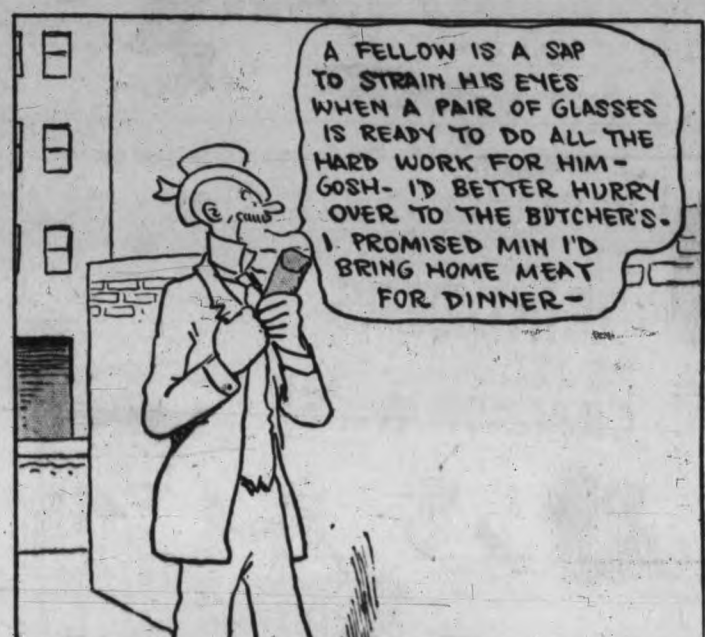
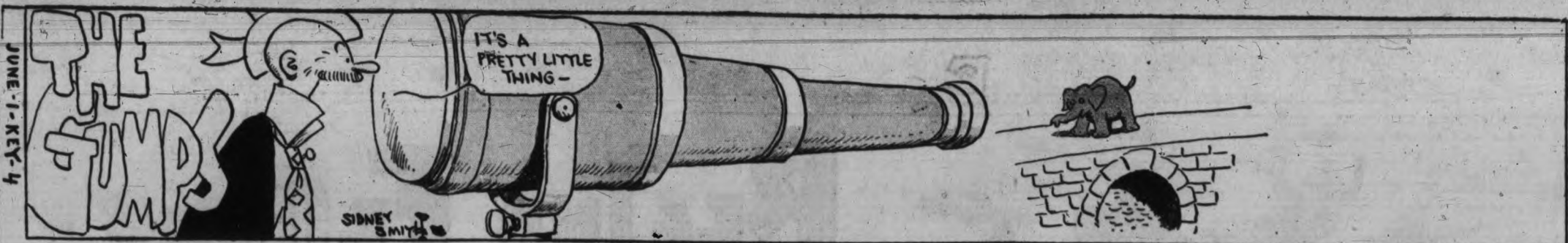
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LIKE FUN I WILL **KETCH!** I WON'T EVEN PLAY ON THE TEAM ANY MORE ON ACCOUNT OF THE WAY YOU INSULTED ME

HOW DID I INSULT 'IM?

DONTCHA REMEMBER? WHEN HE DROPPED THE BALL AN' LET IN TWO RUNS LAST WEEK YOU CALLED HIM A BIG PIECE OF **HAMBURGER!**

AN' HE JUS' **HATES** HAMBURGER TOO!

AWRIGHT THEN! BUMP HUDSON OR SHORTY COOK CAN KETCH!

NOT ME! I WOULDN' KETCH FOR **NOBODY** ON ACCOUNT OF 'IM SUCH A PEACH OF A SECOND BASE PLAYER!

YOU WON'T KETCH ME KETCHIN' NEITHER! AN' I AIN'T AFRAID TO SAY THAT I'M AFRAID TO KETCH NEITHER!

AWRIGHT YOU BIG SKAIRTCATS! I'LL **KETCH!** I AIN'T AFRAID OF **NUTHIN!** GO OVER AN' TELL PUDDINHEAD TO LEN' ME HIS 'KETCHIN' GLOVE AN' MAST!

PUDDINHEAD SAYS **NUTHIN' DOIN'!**

OH POP! BETCHA DONT KNOW WHAT TO-DAY IS! **MOM'S BIRTHDAY!** AN' I'M BROKE TOO! IF I OWEY HAD TWO DOLLARS I'D KNOW WHERE TO GET MOM SUMPIN GREAT AWRIGHT AWRIGHTY!

LET ME SEE IF I HAVEN'T TWO DOLLARS TO GIVE A NICE THOUGHTFUL BOY LIKE YOU!

I DIDN' FORGET TO-DAY WAS YOUR BIRTHDAY MOM! AN' LOOK WHAT I GOTCHA? TWO SWELL PRESENTS AN' A SWELL CARD WITH GOLD LETTERS ON IT WISHIN' YOU A HAPPY BIRTHDAY 'NEVERTHING!

SMACK SMACK SMACK SMACK SMACK

FIRST YOU HAFTA NOTE I WROTE ON THE SWELL CARD WITH THE GOLD LETTERS MOM!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND MANY RETURNS OF THE DAY to my darling Mother who i love twicet as good as ice cream an' chalkit cake put together yours trooly Jimmie

p.s. dear mom if you aint gonna use these presents this afternoon could i borrow please.

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